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SPEAKS OF PERIL IN RETURNING ARMIES

Lansing, Answering Earlier Appeal, Suggests That Future Requests Be Sent to Allies as Well as U. S.

By the Associated Press. BERLIN, Nov. 16, by wireless to London, 1:05 p. m.—Foreign Secretary Solf has sent a message to Secretary of State Lansing urgently requesting President Wilson to give permission for a German mission to the United States so as to personally lay before the American Government the conditions existing here and to assure the taking of steps to purchase foodstuffs.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—While President Wilson himself had not had the matter brought to his attention today, officials regard it as entirely unlikely that a commission of Germans will be permitted to come to the United States at this time under any circumstances. The latest note of Foreign Minister Solf, addressed to Secretary Lansing, asking President Wilson's permission for a German mission to visit the United States to explain the food situation had not been received at the State Department, but the Associated Press announcement of its coming was read with interest.

Solf Again Asks That Peace Conference Be Hastened.

By the Associated Press. BERLIN, Friday, Nov. 15, by wireless to London.—In another message to Secretary of State Lansing at Washington today, Dr. W. S. Solf, after appealing to him to intercede with President Wilson to send peace delegates to The Hague or some other city as soon as possible, "in order to save the German people from perishing by starvation and anarchy," suggested that Herbert C. Hoover, the American Food Administrator, be assigned to the task of assisting the German people. This section of Dr. Solf's message reads: "American delegates could discuss with the plenipotentiaries of the German people the details of how the magnanimous help of America could save, in time, our fatherland from the worst. Perhaps the matter could be put in the tried hands of Mr. Hoover, who has rendered such great services in Belgium."

The acceptance of the oppressive armistice conditions, the necessity of supplying from scanty provisions the armies that are streaming back from the front, the cessation of navigation in the North Sea and the Baltic by the continuance of the blockade, which imperils our provision supply, and the disturbed conditions in the East, make the situation in our country daily more unbearable. The peril can be avoided only by the most speedy help.

The following message has been forwarded to Secretary of State Lansing: "The German Government and the German people have gratefully taken cognizance of the fact that the President of the United States is ready to consider favorably the sending of food to Germany. Distress is urgent. (Section missing.)"

I believe I am not appealing in vain to the humanitarian feelings of the President if I ask you to permit to him the request that, in order to save the German people from perishing from starvation and anarchy, he will

U. S. DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL FOR GEN. PERSHING

Sharp, Bliss and Benson Go to American Main Headquarters to Make Presentation.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Nov. 16, 2:15 p. m.—American Ambassador Sharp, Gen. Bliss and Admiral Benson went to American main headquarters today to present Gen. Pershing, the American Commander-in-Chief, the American Distinguished Service Medal.

RUSH OF WOULD-BE TRAVELERS TRYING TO GET PASSPORTS

None Issued by Government for Europe Unless Trip Is for War Work.

Since the armistice was signed last Monday, the office of the Clerk of the United States District Court has been overrun with applications for passports from persons who wish to rush over to Europe at once and see the sights on the former battlefields. Hundreds of requests and queries have been received. The office has advised the applicants that up to date the passport restrictions in effect during the war have not been removed, that Europe is still closed to tourists, and that no one may obtain a passport unless he is connected with some war activity.

PASTOR ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF VIOLATING ESPIONAGE LAW

Alleged to Have Said Liberty Bonds Were Poor Investment—Spends Night in Jail.

The Rev. Otto F. Reh of 6700 Eastman avenue, St. Louis County, was accused last night charged with violating the espionage act. He is alleged to have said to seven persons, among them Mrs. I. N. Brown, "Liberty Bonds are the poorest investment in the world. This is a war of dollars, not souls. They are merely sending our boys over there to be slaughtered by the hundreds of thousands. They will never get back."

GIRL, 3, KILLED BY SHOT WHILE WITH 16-YEAR-OLD BROTHER

He Tells Police That Revolver He Was Oiling Slipped to Floor.

Mary Elias, 3 years old, was shot and killed in the kitchen of the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Elias, 1033 Chouteau avenue, at 8:45 a. m. today, by her brother, Harry, 16 years old, who said that a revolver he was oiling slipped to the floor and was discharged, the bullet entering the baby's head at the base of the brain.

When first questioned, the brother declared the baby had been killed by a shot from the outside. He later said that he had found a pistol, 50 cartridges and a dime wrapped in a package, beneath the free bridge. He showed a policeman where he had thrown the weapon after his sister was killed.

NO STANDARD SHOES, AFTER ALL

War Industries Board Abandons Schedule of Fixed Prices.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Abandonment of the recently adopted shoe schedule which provided for classification of grades and fixed prices ranging from \$3 to \$12, was announced today by the War Industries Board.

Conservation features of the program which was agreed to by the industry will continue in force.

In Tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch

The Last Battle of the War—Supreme Victory—Frank H. Simonds' analysis of the strategy of Gen. Foch in those last 30 days, during which the whole German line was kept constantly rocking from quick heavy blows until it collapsed.

Why No One Laments the Fall of the Hapsburgs—The record of 1000 years of evil deeds and constant oppression of those who stood for human liberty.

France's Stupendous Pantheon of War—A great memorial to her heroes and her Allies, started in full confidence of ultimate victory after the first battle of the Marne, nearing completion in Paris.

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LIFT BLOCKADE AND LET GERMANY FEED SELF, HOOVER SAYS

"Thing Desired Now Is for Her to Get on Basis to Pay France and Belgium," Ke States Before Sailing.

LITTLE NATIONS MUST BE HELPED FIRST

Of 420,000,000 Persons in Europe, Some 40,000,000 Have Food, Administrator Estimates.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—The problem of feeding Germany is not one of going to their relief but of relaxing the blockade, "so that they may secure for themselves the bare necessities that will give stable governments," said Herbert C. Hoover, Food Administrator, before sailing for Europe today to discuss food measures for the relief of starving populations.

In supplementing a formal statement on the food problems to be met in Europe, Hoover laid emphasis on the necessity of lifting the blockade so that the German people can help themselves.

"There has been a great deal of unnecessary furore in this country about feeding the Germans," he said. "We are not worrying about the Germans. They can take care of themselves if given a chance, but the water-tight blockade has got to be abandoned. If there is an advance relaxation of the blockade, Germany can get food—fish from Norway and Sweden, grain from Argentina—but the blockade will have to be lifted."

What is desired now is for Germany to get on some sort of stable basis so she can pay the money she owes to France and Belgium.

To Return by Christmas. Hoover said that he expected to be in London only a day or two. He will then go to Paris to attend the allied conferences at Versailles. His work may take him into Belgium, but he does not expect to meet any of the German food administrators. He expects to return to America by Christmas to confer with the President before beginning his actual administration abroad in co-operation with the allies.

Hoover's statement follows: "The food problem in Europe today is one of extreme complexity. Of their 420,000,000 persons practically only three areas, namely South Russia, Hungary and Denmark—with a population, say, of 40,000,000, have sufficient food supplies to last until next harvest without serious harm. Some must have immediate relief."

"We have a surplus of some 18,000,000 to 20,000,000 tons of food if we are economical, so that the situation can be handled if this and the other smaller surpluses in the world can be transported."

"All continental Europe has a shortage of meats, and especially, fats. These countries have their last harvest, and under orderly governments this would furnish breadstuffs and vegetables for various periods from two months upwards, depending upon the ratio of industrial populations. Something over 200,000,000 of people are now in social disorder."

Only Cities Are in Need. "In these cases, with transportation and financial demoralization, the tendency is for peasants to cease marketing even their surplus and thus instant difficulties are projected into the cities even when resources are available in the country. The peasant and villager of Europe always provides for himself for the whole year in any event. The problem thus narrows itself to the support of the cities and large towns pending restoration of order and the establishment of confidence in future supplies—and the cities are the centers of anarchistic infection."

"Arrangements have long been completed by which the big allies—that is France, England and Italy—will be provisioned. This covers 125,000,000 people."

"Our first and deepest concern now must be for the little allies who were under the German yoke. They are the Belgians, Serbians, Rumanians, Greeks, Czechs, Jugo-Slavs and others. There are some 75,000,000 people in these groups and they must be systematically helped at once. We have already doubled the stream of food flowing toward Belgium."

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday issued by the Weather Bureau today, include:

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ALLIED FORCES EXPECTED TO ENTER BUCHAREST TOMORROW

Triumphant Reception Has Been Planned; Allies Crossed Danube Nov. 9.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Nov. 16.—Allied forces are expected to enter Bucharest on Sunday, according to Jassy advices to L'Information. A triumphant reception has been prepared for them, it is said.

The allies crossed the Danube on Nov. 9 and easily overcame such resistance as was offered by German forces there. British troops have entered Constantza, a Rumanian seaport on the Black Sea, 60 miles southwest of the delta of the Danube. There was great enthusiasm among the people when the British arrived.

Gen. Berthelot, who commanded the French armies fighting around Rheims and later in the advance across the Aisne, is now in Rumania.

OFFICIAL RULING RECEIVED WITH REGARD TO QUESTIONNAIRES

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QUEEN OF BAVARIA IS DEAD

Marie Theresa Succumbed Tuesday, Says Tagblatt of Munich.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 16.—Queen Marie Theresa of Bavaria died on Tuesday, according to the Tagblatt of Munich.

Postpones Entry Into Brussels.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Nov. 16.—The entry of the King and Queen of Belgium into Brussels has been postponed. The event probably will take place Nov. 23, coinciding with the re-opening of the Belgian chambers. Meanwhile special trains are being organized for the transfer of the Belgian administration and diplomatic bodies.

NORMAL TEMPERATURE, SOME RAIN, NEXT WEEK'S FORECAST

THE TEMPERATURES.

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Yesterday: High, 58 at 2 p. m.; low, 50 at 5 a. m.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Unsettled, probably with rain tonight; tomorrow fair, cooler. Missouri: Partly cloudy and cooler tonight; probably rain in extreme east portion; tomorrow fair, cooler. Illinois: Rain tonight; tomorrow generally fair in south; unsettled, with probably rain in north portion; colder tomorrow and in west and extreme south portions late tonight.

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HOUSE TALKS OVER PEACE WORK WITH ITALIAN MINISTER

Preliminaries of the Great Congress Discussed at Luncheon Given by American.

SESSIONS SOON, IS VIEW IN WASHINGTON

Cables Busy Between U. S. and Europe; House Can Communicate With President Within 10 Minutes.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Nov. 16.—Baron Sonnino, the Italian Foreign Minister, had luncheon today with E. M. House, and, while the meeting was largely social, some of the preliminaries of the inter-allied conference and the peace congress were discussed. Italian Premier Orlando is detained in Italy by the illness of his wife and the British electoral campaign is largely occupying the time of the British leaders, but prompt telegraphic exchange between the capitals permits the adjustment of many details.

In official exchanges with Washington Mr. House is able to communicate with President Wilson at the White House within 10 minutes.

The conferences and exchanges will be suspended Sunday. Mr. House will take a long automobile tour over the Marne battlefield and visit Chateau-Thierry.

Unsettled Conditions in Europe Hastens Plans.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Development in Europe, not only in the military but in the field of international politics, and the tendency of the revolutionary spirit manifested by the demoralized civilian population of the Central Empires to spread to neighboring states, have influenced the allied and American Governments to arrange for the meeting at an early date of the great peace conference.

The Atlantic cables were burdened today with Government business believed to have made up for the most part of exchanges between Washington and Paris where the inter-allied council is endeavoring to reach an agreement as to the time and place for holding the conference, the conditions under which it shall be held and the nations that shall be admitted to participation. Consideration of this last question probably will occupy much time for almost every day witnesses the birth of a new state.

There has been a disposition to delay the holding of the peace conference until the political situation in Europe had somewhat crystallized, but it was understood today that other considerations finally led to a decision by the associated Governments to proceed to assemble the conference at the earliest date that can be set, having regard to the difficulty of ensuring the attendance of commissions or delegates at Versailles, which seems most likely to be selected as the place of the meeting.

Danger of Famine Has Weight. One reason suggested for the change of decision is the necessity of restoring the channels of trade and industry in the late enemy states so as to afford employment to labor and thereby relieve the threat of Bolshevism and anarchy. Another is the general desire now expressed by all of the allied Governments to relieve the civilian population of the Central Powers from the danger of famine, it being recognized that this relief work can be carried on after formal peace treaties have been negotiated.

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With the assurance of any early assembly of the peace conference, attention today turned to the composition of the American commission. The belief is growing that President Wilson will attend, but probably not in the capacity of a delegate or commissioner. It is known that Secretary Lansing will head the American commission and E. M. House, Justice Louis Brandeis and Elihu Root, are also expected to go.

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Kaiser Not Interned, but Crown Prince Has Been

Former Ruler of Germany Regarded in Holland as Refugee With Right to Protection—His Personal Staff Not at Liberty.

By the Associated Press. AMSTERDAM, Holland, Wednesday, Nov. 13.—William Hohenzollern has not been interned by the Netherlands Government. He is regarded rather as a distinguished foreigner who has sought refuge and who has a claim to protection.

Presumably he is free to go where he likes, but the fact that his suite has actually been interned restricts his movements.

Count von Benteck explained today that the former Crown Prince as well as the former Emperor ceased to be soldiers when they abdicated. Nothing is known at the castle concerning the former Emperor's future movements or as to the whereabouts of the former Emperor.

The former Emperor was seen today strolling about the castle grounds with Count von Benteck and the Count's son. He wore a gray military overcoat. This afternoon he was shown over the castle of Zuylenstein, a mile away, and the residence of Count von Benteck's brother.

The members of the former Emperor's suite today surrendered their swords to Dutch officers. They previously had surrendered their other arms and today's formality completed the act of internment.

HUNGARY TO BECOME REPUBLIC TODAY, WIRELESS DECLARES

Message From Budapest to Bern Says Former King Charles Will Take No Part in Affairs.

By the Associated Press. BERNE, Nov. 16.—A wireless dispatch from Budapest says that Count Esterhazy, Count Szechenyi, Count Desseffy and Baron Vassics have returned from Eckartsau Castle, where they conferred with former Emperor Charles. The ex-King, they declared, has decided to renounce all participation in Austrian and Hungarian affairs.

The Hungarian National Council and the two Chambers of Parliament, the wireless messages adds, will meet today to proclaim a republic, dissolve the two Chambers and elect Count Karolyi Governor of Hungary. It is also planned to proclaim universal, secret and equal suffrage for both men and women. The message adds that all these resolutions will become effective immediately and that today will be made a holiday, enabling the population to celebrate the event.

GERMAN TROOPS ENTERED BRUSSELS THIS MORNING

German Soldiers Were Nine Miles Away From National Capital at Midnight.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Nov. 16.—Belgian advance guards entered Brussels Saturday morning. The German troops, in accordance with the armistice, began moving out of the Belgian capital, Friday, and now are nine miles away, according to the correspondent of the Midi on the Belgian front.

HANS WULF BEFORE FEDERAL JUDGE IN A BOND FEE CASE

Warned That Police Court Methods Must Not Be Used With Regard to U. S. Prisoners.

Hans Wulff, an attorney in the Wainwright Building, was cited to appear before Judge Dyer in the Federal Court today on a complaint of James A. Clark, who was arrested Nov. 1 on a charge of having a bogus draft registration card.

Clark had informed the Court that he paid Wulff \$10 to obtain a bondsmanship for him, but Wulff had failed to do so. When Wulff was brought into court Clark told Judge Dyer the money had been returned to him by Wulff last night.

Wulff told the court he did not take the money as a fee, but intended to pay it to a professional bondsman when he found one. The Judge let him go with a warning that police court methods must not be practiced with regard to Federal prisoners.

Wulff formerly was a St. Louis agent for the so-called Embargo League, which sent thousands of telegrams to Congressmen asking them not to vote for a declaration of war with Germany.

GERMAN APPEAL TO POPE ON ARMISTICE BURDENS

Catholics of Country Send Plea to Vatican, Says Wireless From Berlin to London.

By the Associated Press. LONDON, Nov. 16.—German Catholics are appealing to Pope Benedict against the heavy burdens of the armistice conditions, according to a wireless dispatch received here this afternoon from Berlin.

200,000 MEN TO BE IN HOMES IN NEXT 2 WEEKS, GEN. MARCH SAYS

Development Battalions to Be Released First, and Combat Divisions Last—1,790,000 in All Camps.

PERSHING TO DIRECT RETURN FROM FRANCE

Fighters From Trenches Will Be Mustered Out at Home Towns, as Far as This Is Possible.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Orders have been issued, Gen. March announced today, for the gradual demobilization of all troops now in this country.

Demobilization will be in the following order:

1. Development battalions, 71 in number, comprising 88,199 men.
2. Conscientious objectors not under arrest.
3. Spruce production division.
4. Central training schools for officers, with some modifications.
5. United States Guards, now numbering 135,000 men.
6. Railway units.
7. Depot brigades.
8. Replacement units.
9. Combat divisions.

200,000 Home in Two Weeks. There are now in the United States 1,790,000 men under arms. Gen. March said. Orders which will result in the immediate demobilization of 200,000 men are already issued, and these men will be at their homes in the next two weeks.

When the reduction plan is under full operation, the Chief of Staff explained, 30,000 men each day will be released from the army.

Regarding the return of troops in France, Gen. March said the order in which the divisions will be withdrawn is being left to Gen. Pershing. It is in the hands of the War Department, however, so far as is practical, to return each division to the locality from which the majority of its men came and to parade the division in adjacent cities, so that the people may have a chance to give fitting welcomes.

Casualties Ordered Home. Orders have been cabled to Gen. Pershing to begin the return at once of all casualties, sick and wounded, who can be moved, and convalescents. A steady stream of these men should begin immediately to cross the Atlantic.

Camps at home will be cleared out to prepare for the return of the expeditionary forces, and the General indicated that the process would be expedited. A unit of regular troops will be left at each camp to guard and police it in preparation for the arrival of the overseas unit.

Because of its unusual composition, Gen. March said, and its brilliant record at the front, the Forty-second (Rainbow Division) will be given special consideration in the demobilization plans. The purpose of the department was not outlined specifically, but the impression was gained that the division will be paraded in Washington before it is mustered out.

Steps for Permanent Army. Steps already have been taken toward the organization of the permanent army. All men now in the army have been or will be offered an honorable discharge from the emergency enlistment and an immediate re-enlistment in the new forces. A furlough of one month will be given as an incentive to re-enlistment.

Bonus for All Discharged. It was announced that Congress will be asked to give each man discharged from the army, regardless of whether he re-enlists, a bonus of one month's salary. Gen. March pointed out also that all soldiers are entitled under law to wear their uniforms for three months after discharge. This will make less difficult the immediate task of supplying civilian clothing to the demobilized army.

The return of commuted prisoners of war is also being considered.

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NEW GERMANY IS ASSURED WITH ORDER, SAYS EBERT

Chancellor Declares Six or Eight Calm Weeks Are Needed, but That Anarchy Will Spoil Prospects.

DERNBURG MENTIONED FOR THE CABINET

Dispatch From Copenhagen Quotes Berlin Message Waldstein and Erzberger Will Have Places.

By the Associated Press.
BERNE, Switzerland, Nov. 16.—If the new German Government can carry on its work for six or eight weeks, the future of new Germany is assured, declared Friedrich Ebert, the Chancellor, in a speech in Berlin on Thursday.

Chancellor Ebert said: "If we can carry on our work for six or eight weeks, new Germany's future is assured, and we also can hope to obtain conditions of peace relatively favorable, but, if our adversaries can establish that anarchy reigns among us, they will dictate conditions that will annihilate Germany's political life."

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Friday, Nov. 15.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Copenhagen quotes a message from Berlin saying that three civilian politicians will enter the German Cabinet—Herr Waldstein and Dr. Bernhardt Dernburg, former Secretary of State for the colonies, to represent the progressive popular party, and Matthias Erzberger, who will represent the Centrists.

The summoning of a constituent assembly has now been prepared for, the correspondent says.

Thursday in Berlin was quiet. Reports of hopeful tone reach Copenhagen from Germany.

By the Associated Press.
COPENHAGEN, Friday, Nov. 15. All reports reaching here from Germany are of a more hopeful tone. A good impression has been made by the Socialist Government's pronouncement concerning the constituent assembly. The Vorwaerts declares that the pronouncement "makes the constituent assembly a certainty."

The Berlin correspondent of the Hamburg Fremdenblatt is encouraged by the events of the last few days. He reports that a large part of the members of the Soldiers' Councils have removed the red bands from their sleeves.

Not all danger for democracy has passed, the correspondent adds, but he says the Government can rely on the soldiers who are the real holders of power.

At a meeting of soldiers the withdrawal of the order for the formation of a civilian red guard was demanded. One Socialist speaker who said, "But comrades, you are Socialists," was answered with the shout "We are soldiers."

The same Socialist speaker's declaration that it was a duty to spread the revolution to England and France was loudly disapproved. A resolution was passed that the Berlin soldiers would view the arming of laborers with distrust as long as the Government failed to declare expressly for the summoning of a constituent assembly as the sole basis for the adoption of a constitution.

A good impression has been created by the Government's order to the soldiers to obey their officers and maintain discipline.

The Prussian Government has announced that Prussia's future will be determined by a constituent assembly and the Wurttemberg Government has made a similar announcement. All the factories in Berlin have resumed operations.

President's Address to Congress Places the Germans.

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COPENHAGEN, Friday, Nov. 15.—President Wilson's address to Congress

Baker Thanks Army; Will Help Expedite Its Return

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.

By the Associated Press.

CONGRATULATIONS and expressions of the nation's proud esteem were cabled to Gen. Pershing for the American army in France yesterday by Secretary Baker, with a promise that now, a respite has come, the War Department will do all in its power to expedite the early return of the expeditionary force, so that the country may welcome its soldiers home.

The Secretary's message follows:

"The signing of the armistice and the cessation of hostilities bring to an end a great and heroic military adventure in which the army, under your command, has played a part distinguished by gallantry and success. It gives me pleasure to express to you the confidence and appreciation of the War Department and to those who have labored with you to make this result possible, this appreciation of their zeal, courage and strength both of purpose and achievement. The entire country is filled with pride in your fine leadership and in the soldierly qualities shown by your army."

"Now that a respite has come in a solemn task to which the army devoted itself, the War Department will do all in its power to expedite the early return of the expeditionary force to the United States in order that the country may welcome its soldiers home and in order that these soldiers may be restored to the opportunity of civil life as speedily as the military situation will permit."

"I extend to you, as commander in chief of the American expeditionary forces, my hearty congratulations and this expression of high esteem and I beg you to make known to the officers and men of your command the fact that their conduct as soldiers and as men have stirred the pride of their fellow countrymen and that their military success has contributed to the great victory for the forces of civilization and humanity."

gress has been received in Germany in the spirit in which it was delivered, the newspapers saying that he had lived up to the philanthropic aims which he professed. The hope of getting food, though, in the most urgent consideration, the Fremdenblatt saying: "Welcome the day when transatlantic steamers again come up the Elbe."

The newspaper takes the President's speech as "a more peaceful tone crossing the ocean, as the German request to alleviate the armistice found a ready ear over there, and the terms altered in our favor."

Wilson's assertion that there would be no interference in the interior of Germany is also warmly received. Published in Germany the moment the soldiers steamed the Government from rushing into Bolshevism, it proved a valuable asset to the democratic forces now tense in the struggle against the forces of Bolshevism.

TELLS LANSING AGAIN OF HIS FEAR OF FAME

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as quickly as possible send to the Hague or some other place plenipotentiaries.

Lansing Answers Solf's Appeal for Quick Peace.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Secretary Lansing announced that he has acknowledged receipt of the message of Dr. Solf asking for a hastening of the peace convention in view of threatened famine in Germany and has requested that the Germans not confine their appeals to the United States alone, but address them also to the Allied Governments.

It was said at the White House today that any reply which might be made to the wireless appeal addressed in the name of German women to Mrs. Woodrow Wilson for aid in securing a modification of armistice terms, probably would go through diplomatic channels.

The German appeal to President Wilson to send plenipotentiaries to The Hague or some other city as quickly as possible "in order to save the German people from perishing by starvation and anarchy" had not reached Washington tonight in official form. There was no indication as to whether it was regarded as probable that it would be referred to the Supreme War Council at Versailles.

Solf Wants President to Intervene in Anglo-Turkish Armistice Terms.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, Friday, Nov. 15.—Dr. Solf, according to a German wireless message, has sent to Secretary Lansing a note referring to the article in the Anglo-Turkish armistice requiring German civilians to leave the Turkish empire immediately, and declaring that a literal fulfillment of the article "must cause severe hardships, especially to poor people, and appears unreasonable after the conclusion of a universal armistice."

Solf says that German hospitals and asylums for the blind and orphans, the orphan asylums caring

DISCUSS METHODS FOR REMOVAL OF GERMANS TO RHINE

British, French and American Officers Meet German Technical Experts for That Purpose, Paris Paper Says.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Nov. 16, 4:45 a. m.—In accordance with Marshal Poch's instructions, conveyed through Maj. Sistrion to the German great headquarters, German military and technical representatives met Belgian officers at Bruges, British at Mons and French and Americans at Nancy yesterday afternoon, says Mameel Huest of the Echo de Paris. The purpose of the meetings was to arrange the details of the withdrawal of the Germans across the Rhine and to discuss instructions relative to railroads, rivers, canals and telegraph and telephone service.

The Germans gave information concerning the different systems of communication and the destruction affected or planned by the Germans. The British and Belgians dealt with the territory limited by the Dutch, Belgian and the Dutch-German frontiers, the Rhine and the line of Cologne. The French and Americans discussed the region south of Charleroi and Bonn to Southern Alsace.

A German airplane arrived yesterday morning at the French lines, bearing an urgent message from the Mayor of Mulhausen, asking that a French regiment be sent there to maintain order. The population, full of enthusiasm, has risen against the Germans, who are retiring in the utmost disorder, according to the Echo de Paris.

American Urged to Start Troops Toward Rhine as Soon as Possible.

By the Associated Press.
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMIES IN EASTERN FRANCE, Friday, Nov. 15.—Officials and civilians in villages in German occupied territory are sending many messages to headquarters here, urging that American troops start toward the Rhine as soon as possible. It is feared that after the Germans move back there will be trouble with stragglers.

A note reaching headquarters of the First American Army today was written by a village priest. He said the German soldiers had been celebrating the signing of the armistice and his parishioners feared that their lives would be in danger if the Americans failed to arrive soon.

Several German officers have approached the American front lines during the last few days, asking what is to be done with war material left behind, according to the terms of the armistice.

A German aviation officer asked today where the planes of his squadron are to be delivered.

Germans to Begin Today Leaving Positions Northeast of American Lines.

By the Associated Press.
HEADQUARTERS OF THE AMERICAN FIRST ARMY IN FRANCE, Nov. 15.—The Germans in force will begin Saturday to leave the points they now occupy northeast of the American lines, according to German wireless messages. Opposite the American front there was much wagon and automobile traffic Friday, the Germans apparently hauling out the supplies of war material which are not to be left behind.

A few German rear guards will remain as patrols and to pick up any stragglers, should some of the Germans attempt to desert. American observation balloons went up today, the observers endeavoring to get an idea of the extent of the German withdrawal, but most of the traffic was so far back that little activity could be seen.

GERMANS TOLD FLEET HAD ONLY TO COME OUT TO BE BEATEN

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Nov. 16.—British wireless service—Admiral Sir Rosslyn Weyms was appointed to notify the German envoys of the naval conditions of the armistice is credited by Figaro with a phrase which admirably reflects the respective positions of the two fleets.

"It is inadmissible," the Germans protested, "that our fleet should be given up without having been beaten."

Facing the envoys with his monocular, Admiral Weyms retorted that "it had only to come out."

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FIGHT IN SENATE ON LEAGUE OF NATIONS IDEA HAS STARTED

Criticism Has Been Made Already, but Organized Attack Now Looked for From G. O. P. Reactionaries.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Now that the war has been won and the lid on criticism of administration policies is being tilted more and more each day and soon will blow off with a bang, outspoken opposition to the President's idea of a league of nations is becoming manifest in the Senate. Hitherto there has been only sporadic criticism, voiced chiefly by the Republican leader, Senator Lodge. Now an organized attack, with Republican reactionary forces in the vanguard, is to be expected.

The opposition, however, while chiefly on the Republican side, will cut across party lines. Senator Reed of Missouri is all primed and cocked for a speech in opposition to the idea of internationalism expressed in a league of nations, and he will deliver it at the first opportunity.

Senator Reed was received yesterday while Senator Walsh of Montana spoke at length in favor of the league, particularly when Walsh reinforced his argument with quotations from H. G. Wells. Walsh read the statement of the English novelist's statement that the Krupp of Germany had suborned the press of that country to foster a warlike spirit.

Reed Makes Protest.

Reed said that whatever might be the case in Germany, he did not believe that any munition maker in this country had attempted to suborn the press of this country.

He protested, he said, against the argument that all who were opposed to the league of nations were actuated by selfish motives.

Senator Poindexter of Washington, in vigorous attack on the proposed league, characterized the league as a Socialist and internationalist, as "one of a growing class of radicals who are more attached to a special class than to the nations to which they belong."

Poindexter declared that, if a league of nations came into being, on the lines suggested by the President, America would "surrender its birthright to Europe."

Walsh called attention to the fact that Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain had expressed himself wholeheartedly in favor of the league. Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, on the other side, put into the record a newspaper article containing strictures on the President's program by Premier Hughes of Australia.

Arguments Against Plan.

Poindexter's speech indicated the main contentions that will be urged against the league of nations. These may be summed up:

1. That the whole scheme is utopian and impracticable.
2. That its adoption by America would necessitate a revision of the Constitution of the United States, which vests the ultimate decision as to war and peace in the national government and not in an outside body.
3. That the present Wilsonian policy of internationalism, in that America has not entered a pact with the league of nations now opposed to Germany, but has remained an "associate" or "co-belligerent."
4. That ample machinery for the adjustment of international differences, without sacrifice of national integrity, now exists in the Hague Tribunal.
5. That for America to enter the league would mean the sacrifice of the Monroe Doctrine and the surrender of rights to make tariff laws.

Owen Champions Program.

Senator Owen of Oklahoma appeared yesterday as the principal champion of the President's program. He denied that entrance into a league of nations would involve any surrender of national integrity.

Yesterday's debate was but the opening gun in the battle now getting under way for and against the President. Led by the suave and scholarly Lodge, a masterly political strategist on the inside, and by Roosevelt on the outside, the Senate opposition to the President's policies will fight hard, and the league of nations, for the present at least, will be one of the chief points of attack.

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"BELGIUM'S CROWN OF GLORY IMPERISHABLE," SAYS WILSON

Tribute Contained in Message to King Albert, Felicitating Him on His Birthday.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—President Wilson sent by cable yesterday a message to King Albert of the Belgians felicitating him upon his birthday and paying tribute to Belgium's self-sacrifice, which has won her a "crown of glory imperishable."

The message follows:

"His Majesty, the King of the Belgians, Brussels: 'Never has a national holiday occurred at a more auspicious moment, and never have felicitations been more heartily felt than those which it is my high privilege to tender to your majesty on this day.'

"When facing imminent destruction, Belgium by her self-sacrifice won for herself a place of honor among nations, a crown of glory, imperishable, though all else were lost. 'The danger is averted, the hour of victory come and with it the promise of a new life, fuller, greater, nobler than has been known before. 'The blood of Belgium's heroes has not been shed in vain. 'WOODROW WILSON."

GERMAN OFFICERS TO BE TRIED FOR SHOCKING CRIMES IN LILLE

Courtmartial for Offenders Even If Investigators Are Unable to Obtain Arrests.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Nov. 16.—As a result of investigations made in Lille and the region of the Department of the North, precise charges have been made, on against German officers guilty of having ordered or of having themselves committed shocking crimes.

In the presence of evidence that has been revealed by a commission of inquiry, the Undersecretary of State at the Ministry of Justice has ordered that criminal proceedings be instituted at once against the German officers in question.

They will be tried by courtmartial in the absence if the allies are unable to secure their arrest, but whatever sentence may be passed will remain valid.

BEATTY DISCUSSES TURNING OVER OF FLEET WITH GERMAN

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Friday, Nov. 15.—Preliminary discussions concerning the handing over of the German fleet were held tonight at Rosyth on the Firth of Forth, Scotland, between Admiral Sir David Beatty and delegates from the German Soldiers' and Sailors' Council and the German Vice Admiral Meurer.

When the cruiser Koenigsberg, which brought the German delegates, was 50 miles off the Isle of May, on the Scottish coast, this afternoon, it was met by British vessels, which escorted it to Rosyth. The preliminaries so far have been carried out without a hitch. The discussions probably may end at Saturday's meeting of the delegation.

American officers will be present at the surrender of the German high seas fleet. It has not yet been determined whether the United States will be represented at Constantinople.

WILSON TO BE INVITED TO FRANCE

Will Be Asked to Lay Cornerstone of Memorial to U. S. Aid in War.

PARIS, Nov. 15.—President Wilson will be invited to lay cornerstone of the proposed monument at the mouth of the Gironde River commemorating the help given to France by the United States in the war.

A national fund for the purpose has been started and now amounts to 300,000 francs.

200,000 MEN TO BE IN HOMES IN NEXT TWO WEEKS

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sonnel of the army to civilian life, Gen. March said, would be effected by dividing the present list of officers into three classes—those who desire commissions in the regular army, those who are willing to hold themselves available for future service as reserve officers, and those who desire honorable discharge from the service.

Instructions have been issued to the Army Staff Corps to carry out reduction in their commissioned and enlisted personnel lists, keeping pace with the reduction of the land forces.

Casualty Total Requested.

Gen. Pershing has been directed to expedite complete casualty lists of his forces, showing the names of every man killed or wounded or missing up to 11 a. m., Nov. 11. Gen. March would not hazard an estimate as to what the final total would be.

Replying to a question as to the number of American prisoners in Germany, he said official records up to Oct. 15 gave the total as 5718.

Gen. March sketched the official line held by the allied armies and the Americans along the west front when the fighting stopped. The front held by the First and Second armies at that hour measured 52 miles. Of the American force, Gen. March said:

"It had reached its highest point of military excellence on the day the fighting stopped and had endeared itself to the hearts of the American people."

Ports Being Prepared.

Ports of the Atlantic coast, from Boston to Charleston, S. C., Gen. March said, are being organized to handle returning troops, and it is possible that ports south of Charleston will be used.

The question of final disposition of the great cantonments is being studied, Gen. March said, and no decision has been reached. New construction already largely has been stopped.

GERMANS INCENSED AT ARMISTICE TERMS

People's Opposition to Blockade Aggravated by Fear of Famine.

By the Associated Press.

The following dispatch from Cyril Brown, giving a picture of the state of feeling in Germany immediately after the terms of the armistice became known there, was filed in Amsterdam on Tuesday, but did not reach the Post-Dispatch until this morning. It was three days in transit to America.

By CYRIL BROWN, A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

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AMSTERDAM, Tuesday, Nov. 12.—Democracy is apparently triumphing over Bolshevism in Germany. The tide of revolution is receding as rapidly as it rose. Order was never completely engulfed and it is beginning to emerge, as the principal factor in an exhibition of German unity, on the heels of a seemingly certain revolutionary disintegration.

Owing to the individual instinct of self-preservation and the fear of famine, the majority of the Socialist party has clinched control over the revolutionary movement by securing the co-operation of the majority of other parties, and of patriotic citizens generally regardless of party.

The coalition with the Independent Socialist may prove temporary, but the results of political unity are already apparent in more tranquil conditions in Berlin than in the beginning.

"Bolshevism as practiced in Russia," the Cologne Gazette says, "is the plague of humanity and the murder of culture. Therefore, every German should stand unconditionally on the side of Social democracy and fight the fatal epidemic."

Program of New Regime.

Authority of the new Government appears to be recognized throughout Germany. The program is to make peace at the earliest possible moment, to maintain order, to sustain the food rationing system, to prevent the demobilization of the army and to guide smoothly the transition to normal conditions.

It is not considered vitally pressing to call together a national constituent assembly until after demobilization. The Socialist coalition has already eliminated the anarcho-extremists and the Spartacus group from a share in the Government. It has relegated Dr. Karl Liebknecht into the background, and it has the Soldiers' and Workers' Councils firmly in hand.

The Berlin Bourse is closed, but announcement that the war loan has exceeded 10,000,000,000 marks has had a stimulating effect in financial circles.

The revolutionary street picture in Berlin has completely changed. Intoxication of the revolution has been followed by a sobering realization of the full import of the terms of the armistice. By order of the Soldiers' Council the streets were cleared after 8 o'clock in the evening, and large quantities of ammunition, machine guns and small cannon have been brought to the Reichstag, as a sort of arsenal for them, every evening.

The Council of the Provisional Government has issued a manifesto to the home army by which all formations will continue in their military duties until disbanded. In spite of the manifesto, demobilization on a large scale has apparently begun at the front, where many of the soldiers, deciding to go home, seized rolling stock and operated trains themselves. Many such military trains have already arrived from the front.

In Westphalia and Hanover the governments have had great trouble in holding the troops for orderly demobilization. The local Soldiers' Council of Cologne has sent a committee to assist Marshal von Hindenburg in the evacuation of the Rhineland. A universal census of the German people and of domestic animals has been ordered to begin Dec. 4.

When the conditions of the armistice were revealed to the German people they provoked the uttermost bitterness among all classes. The people especially resented the main-

tenance of what they called the "hunger blockade," and the surrender, according to the common estimate of one-fifth of the rolling stock of the country. President Wilson suddenly ceased to be the popular favorite in Germany, and the state of mind of the people resolved itself into one of unadulterated, impotent bitterness, aggravated by fear of famine, tempered by a minimum hope of food from America.

"Armistice conditions have tremendous bearing on the immediate future," the Cologne Gazette said. "Never before did a German Government face such a difficult complexity of problems." The Rheinisch-Westphalian Zeitung declared: "It is for the Americans to say if the German people are to continue to starve."

A Hamburg correspondent wrote: "Germany's doom is sealed. Armistice conditions mean the dissolution of the allies to destroy the German people, that having been the intention from the beginning. Since it was necessary to accept the conditions, the German people must realize that their way lies through the darkest night."

"President Wilson's course," a special correspondent in the Hamburger Echo stated, "will prove whether he still has the will and power to materialize a League of Nations. From the development of that project alone can a real peace of justice spring. Peace after the model of Marshal Foch's armistice terms can have no durability."

The Hamburger Gazette said the terms which Marshal Foch dictated would plant the seeds for new wars.

SWEDEN TO GIVE FRANCHISE TO BOTH SEXES ON EQUAL TERMS

By the Associated Press.

STOCKHOLM, Thursday, Nov. 14.—The Swedish Government has decided to carry out without delay a program of reform, giving the franchise to both sexes on equal terms and placing control of the foreign policy as well as declarations of war and peace with the Riksdag.

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HARRY S. TURNER, ACQUITTED, MAY BE REINDICTED

Judge Agrees to Reduce to Writing Opinion That Charge of "Filthy Mail Matter" Would Afford Good Case.

WOULD BE BASIS FOR GRAND JURY ACTION

Munger Holds Indictment Drawn Did Not Justify Prosecution Under Statute on Obscene Matter.

Harry S. Turner, editor of "Much Ado," a semi-monthly publication, charged with sending obscene matter through the mails, was acquitted at 6 p. m. yesterday in accordance with an order given to the jury by Judge Munger in the United States District Court.

In a verbal ruling on a demurrer to the evidence Judge Munger said the indictment as drawn did not justify prosecution under Section 211 of the Federal Statutes, on which it was based. The main body of this statute provides punishment for sending obscene matter through the mails. The Judge said that an amendment to the same statute makes it a crime to mail filthy matter and that "the Government might have charged that and have had a good case."

A communication sent in the mails, he said, might be of such a nature that it would make the blood boil and excite the reader's anger, but still could not be classified as obscene unless it aroused other passions usually associated with writing.

To Put Opinion in Writing.

After the verdict was returned Vance J. Higgs, assistant to Special Assistant Attorney-General Williams, asked Judge Munger to reduce his opinion to writing so that the Court's opinion could be used by the Government in resubmitting the complaint to the grand jury and asking for a new indictment under the amendment on the specific charge that the matter sent through the mails by Turner was filthy.

Such a written opinion, Higgs said, would aid the Government in a resubmission of the case and would prevent Turner from entering the claim that he had already been placed in jeopardy under the statute. The Judge said he would comply with Higgs' request.

Resubmission Up to Oliver.

In making the acquittal order, Judge Munger cited the case of *Schwinger* against the United States Government, in which an editor appealed to the United States Supreme Court after conviction of sending through the mails an editorial in which he used appropriate epithets in referring to a Republican politician. The Supreme Court reversed the conviction on the ground that the matter was not obscene in that it was not "calculated to arouse immoral passions in the reader."

The indictment against Turner was drawn by William H. Woodward, assistant to United States District Attorney Oliver, but the case was prosecuted by Williams and Higgs. Higgs said that the matter of resubmitting the case of the mails charge would be left to District Attorney Oliver's office.

District Attorney Oliver is out of town. Benjamin L. White, one of his assistants, today said he was not familiar with the case or with Judge Munger's ruling, but that he felt sure any recommendation made by Special Assistant Attorney-General Williams would be followed, and that if Williams asked that the case be taken back to the grand jury, it would be done.

Williams said he would refer the case to District Attorney Oliver, but would not say what recommendations he would make.

Basis of Accusation.

The accusation against Turner was based on an allegation that he incited proofs of an article prepared for publication in *Much Ado* in a letter written to George Hagee of 5217 Raymond avenue, co-trustee with the St. Louis Union Trust Co. as trustee for the estate of Hagee's father. Hagee is a Lieutenant in the 158th (St. Louis) Regiment in France.

It was alleged in the indictment that the proofs mailed to Hagee contained defamatory statements about a prominent St. Louis man. The alleged object in submitting the proofs was that the matter it contained would be printed unless the trust company would agree to extend a note for Turner. A loan of \$15,000 made by the elder Hagee to Turner 15 years ago was about to come due and threats had been made to foreclose on garage property owned by Turner on Delmar boulevard near King's highway.

Expionage Charge Pending.

The name of the prominent citizen whose name was mentioned in the proofs was not disclosed to the public at the trial yesterday, but it was written on a slip of paper and shown to the jury.

There still is pending against Turner an indictment charging violation of the espionage act. This was based on several editorial paragraphs which were included in the proofs sent to Hagee.

GEN. BUCK WHO LED CHARGE, ARMED ONLY WITH RIDING CROP, TELLS STORY OF BATTLE

Was in the Thick of the Fighting and Took Berzy-le-Sec in Dress Parade Uniform—Believes It Was Americans Who Saved Paris.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Probably everyone has read about an officer wearing his leather puttees, his Sam Brown belt and other distinguishing insignia of rank, and armed with nothing but a riding crop, leading his men in a charge. That is exactly what Major-General Beaumont B. Buck did—right down to the riding crop, and with white collar and cuffs—when he and his Second Brigade of the First American Division captured Berzy-le-Sec on July 21 last.

And that is why Gen. Buck, who was a Brigadier at Berzy-le-Sec, was wearing the Distinguished Service Cross of the United States, the Legion of Honor ribbon and the Croix de Guerre with a palm, when he arrived in New York from France Thursday on the United States army transport *Harrisburg*. He was also wearing on his shoulders two silver stars of a Major-General.

On Way to Washington.

Gen. Buck, who was on his way to Washington, was asked about that historic struggle at Berzy.

The general and his brigade had captured Cantigny, and he had the honor of being the first American General to direct an organized attack against the Germans in the great war, and he had fought at St. Mihiel and had been with the conquering Americans when they smashed the very hinge of the German front—the Kriemhild—northwest of Verdun—but it was that feat at Berzy that fired the imagination.

"We had been fighting continuously for four days," Gen. Buck said. "Marshal Foch started his counter-offensive on July 18. We had made five attacks already. Seventy-five per cent of the commissioned officers of my brigade were casualties, and 50 per cent of the enlisted men were killed or wounded when I received orders that Berzy-le-Sec must be taken at any cost."

Was Up All Night.

"I stayed up all night, personally instructing my officers. At 8:30 a. m. we went in. There were three waves. And we took and held Berzy-le-Sec."

"What was the result?" was asked.

"The general was in the first wave, carrying that bamboo riding crop on the dresser there," said Maj. W. H. Woolworth, who was the general's Brigade Adjutant. "And they were mighty tired when we got there. There wasn't much left of the brigade, but they waded right in."

"The brigade was under fire all the time. The Germans—they were the Prussian Guards, the Kaiser's own, the finest shock troops in the German army. They could not see the outfit, and they were pouring in shell all the time. Two officers were killed by one shell while the general was explaining the plan of attack."

"Did you lead the troops into the town?" was asked.

"No," Gen. Buck said. "I stayed on the edge of the town and received what was left of the Prussian Guard. One German officer was mad as a hornet. He said that the rest of the famous Prussian Guard had withdrawn when they saw us coming on, and left him with a battalion to take his chances."

Was With First Division.

Gen. Buck went to France with the First American Division. He left New York, June 12, 1917, and arrived in France, June 26. He was in the American sector north of Toul.

LEUT. LAWSON WATTS RETURNS

Banker's Son Goes to Washington, Where Family Will Meet Him.

Leut. Lawson M. Watts, son of Frank O. Watts of 5399 Lindell boulevard, president of the Third National Bank, who has been in France for 18 months has returned to this country and has been ordered to report for duty at Washington, D. C. His parents and sister, Miss Helen Watts, departed for Washington to join him.

Leut. Watts went to France to serve in a French ambulance corps. Later he joined the French army and still later was transferred to the Motor Transport Corps of the American army. Recently he was assigned to duty as an instructor in the Motor Transport Corps officers' training school in France. Prior to going to France he was a State bank examiner.

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until two days after the German offensive opened, March 21.

Then he was sent to the Cantigny sector, the tip of the great German drive. There he captured and held Cantigny. He remained there until July 1.

"The Americans had the morale on the Boche," he said, "after the early raids in November, when we took prisoners. I heard one of our men in the Cantigny sector, when some prisoners were being taken to the rear, say, 'And that is what we've been afraid of.' And that exclamation meant a lot."

"We never hoped to have 10,000 men a day for four months land in France. And right there was where we fooled the Kaiser and the Great General Staff. The arrival of the Americans in force at the time they arrived was a surprise to the Germans. They were at the front for seven months without let-up, and I know. It is a pretty big statement to make, but it is true."

Praises People at Home.

"Too much credit cannot be given the people at home who backed up their fighting men so solidly and to the navies of Great Britain and the United States and the other allies who kept the U-boats in check."

"The real turning point of the war was the counter-offensive of Gen. Foch on July 18. The gradual preparation for this offensive was of tremendous significance. Had the allies not been prepared for an offensive, the Germans would have taken Paris in four days. As it was, American troops rushed to the front by forced marches, were able to stop the Germans. There is no doubt in my mind that the Americans saved Paris."

Gen. Buck said that when he left the front three weeks ago he left an army that knew it was victorious. He said that when the hinge of the German lines was broken 16 German divisions had been used in a vain attempt to obey orders to hold the line at any cost. He said these 16 divisions represented the cream of the German army and the last of its reserves.

Made Fine Showing.

Maj. Woolworth said that during Foch's counter-offensive the First Division "went further, took more prisoners, territory and more guns than any other division, American, British or French."

"One important thing to remember," Gen. Buck said, "was the purpose of winning this war. You know, the Germans have described the Americans as 'easy to kill, but very difficult to stop,' and that is true."

"We have lost a lot of men, but that is necessary in war. The morale of our men always was superior, or at least equal, to any men the Germans ever faced."

"And this prominent fact stands out: No American unit ever lost a foot of ground gained. That is, in the wavering during a battle, fractions of the line might yield at times, but the Americans always stuck at the end of the battle to the furthest point they ever reached."

Division of Regulars.

The First Division, in which Gen. Buck held his command, was composed of regulars. Gen. Buck said that it was not he who gave the famous order to advance when the French advised a retreat. He said he thought it was Major-General Harbord.

He said that he and other Generals were returning to this country, he understood, because their experience had been thought necessary for the training of new troops, the orders having been issued before the armistice was proposed.

Gen. Buck was assigned three weeks ago, just before he left the front line. And that is the only hurt he suffered during his seven months' active participation in the war.

H. S. JACOBI, FOR 54 YEARS JUSTICE OF KIRKWOOD, DIES

Hugo S. Jacobi, 88 years old, for the last 54 years Justice of the Peace of Kirkwood, St. Louis county, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 107 South Taylor avenue, Kirkwood. He had been ill of a complication of diseases since Sept. 23. He was re-elected Justice of the Peace Nov. 5, without opposition, while at home, in bed.

He came to this country from Bavaria when 19 years old. He lived first in New York, and settled in St. Louis about 60 years ago. He served as a member of the St. Louis Volunteer Fire Department; and later was president of the historical society that succeeded it. He was a member of A Company of the St. Louis Grays.

Justice Jacobi is survived by six children. One of them said that her father failed Nov. 5 to vote for the first time since he became a voter, and that he had been much disturbed about it. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, which will meet the funeral at 2 o'clock tomorrow at Grace Episcopal Church, Kirkwood.

McCord's Helpers Get Presents.

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 16.—Col. J. H. McCord, executive officer for Missouri in the enforcement of the selective draft law, surprised the 20 young men and women comprising his office force this morning by presenting each one with a \$50 Liberty Bond as a recognition of their co-operation and many hours of overtime, given ungrudgingly.

LEGISLATURE TO INVESTIGATE STATE ROAD COMMISSION

Discord Charged by Member Who Has Resigned, Characterizing Body as "Flat Failure."

CHARGES LAXNESS TO THE ENGINEER

Declares Graham Would Merely Sit in His Office, Point to Map and Say, "Make That a State Road."

The condition in the State Highway Commission which has resulted in the ousting of J. P. Davis as Assistant State Highway Engineer and the resignation from the commission of A. C. McKibbin of Clayton probably will be investigated by the State Legislature when it convenes in January, it was learned today at Jefferson City.

McKibbin said today that there had been discord in the commission ever since it was established, in 1917, and that he resigned partly because the good roads program was a "flat failure," due, he said, to the failure of State Highway Engineer A. W. Graham to get any work started, and partly because Davis was fired when he tried to go to Graham's head to get something done.

It was because of Graham's refusal to perform, or have performed, the necessary engineering work, that only \$190,315 has been spent on constructing and improving State roads, out of \$2,533,144 that was available for the purpose from the State fund, McKibbin says. The law provides that the counties must spend an equal amount, and virtually all of them have the money ready, McKibbin said. Of the money spent, \$15,000 was used to buy equipment for prison road camps, although such equipment should be bought by the Prison Board, McKibbin said. He asserted that Gov. Gardner advised the commission to use their funds for that purpose.

Graham's salary is \$4,300 a year. He is a personal and political friend of Lieutenant-Governor Crossley, McKibbin said.

Commission Bi-Partisan.

The Highway Commission was established in March, 1917, under the provisions of the Highway law. It was bi-partisan, the members being E. L. Sanford of Springfield, chairman, and C. O. Raine of Hayti, Democrats, and G. E. McIninch of St. Joseph and McKibbin, Republicans.

"The law provides that the engineer must have had five years' experience in road and bridge building," McKibbin said. "I have a written statement made by Graham himself that he only had nine months of such experience."

"The law also provides that the engineer, before recommending to the commission that certain roads be made State roads, must investigate and survey them, furnishing the commission and the various counties with drawings. Instead of doing this Graham would point out a certain road on the map and ask that the commission declare it a State road. He admitted that he had never done any such thing."

A result of one such instance was that a delegation of residents of Bollinger County came up to Jefferson City and showed us where one road designated on the map by Graham led through a swamp with 30 feet of water in it."

"In many instances Graham failed to supply the counties with drawings, showing the route of the roads to which State aid was to be given, and the county officials never could find out just where the roads were that Graham meant."

No Plans or Drawings.

"He also failed to carry out the provision that plans of all roads, bridges and culverts, accompanied by proper drawings, should be furnished to highway engineers and county officials, although the commission twice adopted resolutions authorizing him to employ the necessary help to do this."

"I protested against this failure all through the spring and summer of last year, and in December I wrote to Graham, asking him to resign. He ignored the request. In

January, before a meeting of the board, I demanded that he resign, and, to show that my motives were unselfish, I offered to resign with him. He refused."

"When the board was organized I had been made secretary, with a salary of \$2,000 a year. My salary as a member was \$1,000, a total of \$3,000. Soon after Graham's refusal to resign, Attorney-General McAlister gave an opinion that it was contrary to public policy for me to hold both positions, although he admitted there was nothing in the law against it. The commission passed a resolution asking me to remain secretary, and I did so."

"The squabbling continued throughout the summer of this year, and in September I was asked by the commission to resign as secretary, and I did. The request that Davis resign came soon after, and then I resigned as a member."

"It was not only because Davis was ousted that I got out, but because I did not want to be associated any longer with the failure of the good roads program. I had conducted good roads bond campaigns in St. Louis County and seven other counties before becoming a member of the commission. These counties now have sold their bonds, and have the money in the banks, waiting to be spent, while Davis is unable to get any action, while Davis is the only man who got any work started, has been fired."

Composition of Fund.

McKibbin said that \$1,017,765 of the funds available for good roads is a part of the Federal fund apportioned to Missouri, while the remainder for that purpose consists of motor vehicle license fees. The expense of building and improving State roads is shared equally by the State and the counties.

In the presence of a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday McKibbin called Gov. Gardner over long-distance telephone and asked that his resignation be accepted by the telephone. The Governor replied that he wanted first to confer with the members of the commission. McKibbin this week became secretary of the Automobile Club of St. Louis. Prior to his appointment to the commission, he was secretary of the Federated Roads Association.

Gov. Gardner today said he had appointed the best men he could get for the commission and had left the work of the commission to them. He said the work had interfered greatly with carrying out the roads program.

Says Gardner Had Meeting.

McKibbin, when shown the Governor's statement, declared that Gov. Gardner was fully acquainted with the condition in the commission, having called in the members several months ago to inquire of them why some of the money available was not being used. McKibbin said he told the Governor then that it was because of Graham's failure to do the necessary preliminary work.

As to the effect of the war, McKibbin said, nearly all the counties sold their bonds long ago, and have the money in the bank. Material for doing much of the work was available in the counties. He said the work was to be done, he said. He added that in the only two counties where permission of the Government was necessary to float bond issues, the permission was granted.

Davis corroborated McKibbin's statement. He is a Democrat, as is Graham, and that his only offense consisted of trying to push the good roads program without Graham's compliance.

Efforts to reach State Highway Engineer Graham for a statement were unsuccessful, as he is out in the State and will not return to Jefferson City until next week.

One Report Says Bavarian King Has Arrived in Switzerland.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

PARIS, Nov. 16.—King Ludwig III of Bavaria arrived at Rorschach, a town on the Swiss bank of Lake Constance, on Friday. He was taken there from Lindau, a town across the lake, in a Bavarian boat, according to a Zurich dispatch to the Petit Journal. An automobile from the German Consulate at Zurich met him and took him to an undisclosed destination.

Wonderful Red Cross—work for them, mother, for red cross, you are working for me and all the boys over here. And listen to the Salvation Army drum. One day in a little town between the artillery lines and the Helms, two little Salvation Army lassies stayed in the middle of two streams of humanity—fresh men for the front got a cheering word and wounded men got a touch of endearment and both went on their way, better. They stayed while men and boys were being out to a white-hot test.

"And don't forget the Y. M. C. A. Near a second-line dressing station a man was sewing hot coffee, and had been for two days. Helms was fighting hard and we were preparing to drop back to reorganize. Someone stepped up to him and said: 'Daddy, you had better move back; they are counter-charging.' 'Move back, move back!' he exclaimed. 'What do I want to move back for?' He went over to an American boy who had fallen, took his ammunition belt and his rifle and said: 'Who is coming with me?'

Two Fatal Elevator Accidents.

Man Killed in Jefferson Hotel; No-gress Operator Crushed.

There were two fatalities in hotel elevators yesterday.

Charles Imkamp, 78 years old, 1706 North Spring avenue, employed at the Jefferson Hotel, was found dead in the shaft of one of the passenger lifts at the hotel. Mike P. Young, the operator of the car, was ordered held for the coroner. Imkamp's aged wife was found to be seriously ill at her home.

Lena Bailey, a negroes, 22 years old, of 3128 Pine street, employed as an elevator operator at the American Hotel, was found dead wedged between the car floor and the shaft at a point midway between the first and second floors. Her head and left arm were crushed.

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ARTILLERYMEN WRITE OF ARGONNE FIGHTING

Three Letters From St. Louisans, Members of 128th, Tell of Battlefield Experiences.

Scenes on the Argonne Forest battlefield, over which the Thirty-fifth Division chased the Germans, are described in a letter from Sergt. Page C. Robertson, C Battery, 128th (St. Louis) Field Artillery, to his father, Charles C. Robertson of 5083 Vernon avenue.

Describing the preparation for the attack, he writes: "I don't think I am revealing any secrets when I say there were guns assembled on that front so thick that you could not walk along a road or through a wood without having some artillerymen growling at you for ruining his camouflage."

Description of Barrage.

The opening of the barrage is described: "The guns opened with a tremendous roar. As we were pretty high up and a great many guns were directly behind our hill, the sound of shells over our heads was like an immense sheet of thick silk shaken by a tornado. It seemed as if you could reach up and grab shells as they flew over. Our gun crews were stripped to their waists, serving hot, steaming guns."

Passing on to his description of the town of C—, taken by the Americans, he says: "I saw some wonderful sights in this place. In front of our gun position was a system of trenches and deep dugouts, where the Huns had an elaborate machine-gun nest. The tanks had cleaned it out. The Germans were lying around everywhere as though tossed by a tornado."

"We fired no shots whatever at this place, as the doughboys were going too fast for us and we had to move forward again. Soon we began to see more signs of conflict. Here an airplane was standing on its nose. Here a battery of German 77's. Rifles, machine guns, clothing, ammunition, everything thrown to the winds as the Huns fell back."

Artillery Left Far Behind.

Elmer P. Hill, B Battery, 128th, writes his mother, Mrs. Agnes Hill, 84 North Boyle avenue, St. Louis.

"Our doughboys went over the top and went on and on for four kilometers before they ran into any Germans. So then they had hard fighting and altogether they advanced 11 kilometers. They went so fast they advanced 23 kilometers in three days and it took the artillery four days to catch up with them. We followed in back of them and went through quite a few bloy-n-up towns and we saw many of our boys pay the price for our country."

"We took up our positions 2900 yards from the Germans' front line trenches in a hollow between three hills. Our guns were again hub to hub. One day the Huns tried to come over the top in a counter attack. He had to stay on the guns and under shell fire because the German artillery was on our heels all the time."

"Then the shells fell so fast that we were ordered to our dugouts. Just then a fellow named Emory of Philadelphia and in my gun squad, was killed by a shell which hit close by."

"A Sergeant and old Murnahan picked the fellow up and were about to carry him away when another shell hit and blew up one of our guns right next to my gun. The Sergeant was wounded and is now in a hospital. We all had a narrow escape that time."

Praise for Civilian Organizations.

Capt. Rix Mallonee, Headquarters Company, 128th Artillery, writes to his mother, Mrs. Ing Chamberlain, Jefferson Hotel, from a base hospital where he is recovering from gas.

"Wonderful Red Cross—work for them, mother, for red cross, you are working for me and all the boys over here. And listen to the Salvation Army drum. One day in a little town between the artillery lines and the Helms, two little Salvation Army lassies stayed in the middle of two streams of humanity—fresh men for the front got a cheering word and wounded men got a touch of endearment and both went on their way, better. They stayed while men and boys were being out to a white-hot test."

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BIT OF FRANCE COPIED FOR THE ALLIES' SHOP

Tea Room Is Reproduction of Section of Street in Typical Vosges Hamlet.

A reproduction, almost in life size and of realistic and painstaking detail, of a section of street in a typical French hamlet in the Vosges Mountain district, was opened today as a cafe and tea room on the second floor of the Allies' Shop, 610 North Broadway, under the auspices of the American Fund for French Wounded. Work on it has been progressing for the last month.

Here is no paper-mache imitation, and very little painted scenery. The walls of the houses are built of durable plaster as if they were intended to withstand the wear and tear of outdoor weather. The shingles and thatches on the roofs are real; the hinges and bars on the doors and windows are of actual iron wrought on a lathe, and the timber-work is heavy and solid.

Work Carefully Done.

Ascending the staircase under an arched tunnel one finds himself transported to a different world. The architecture is faithfully carried out all the picturesque and irregularities of a French village and imparted the atmosphere and color of the actuality. At one side is a quaint little eighteenth century house painted a soft, velvety, buff red and built up against the wreckage of an old Gothic ruin of which only the doorway and the shrine above remain.

Across the way lies a French inn, a thatched cottage with pale green shutters and green door, with the iron hinges of the windows set into the plaster after rustic French fashion. The east wall is painted to resemble a valley in the Vosges region, with mountains looming in the distance.

To deck some of the roofs the builders took ordinary shingles, split them by hand and fastened them regularly in the French way. At the northwest corner is a wall, with bricks set in realistically at spots where the plaster has been knocked off.

Shingles run along the houses, the windows facing on Broadway are filled with shrubs and lined, with hedges, the iron pillars in the center are clothed with branches to resemble trees, and even the skylights are camouflaged. The tables will be spread in the "atrium," after the French fashion, and from various points depend village lanterns with iron frames.

By St. Louis Artists.

The Village is entirely the work of St. Louis artists. The subdued colors, with the warm, soft effects of time, are due to Fred Carpenter and Joseph Adamant. The architect of the entire structure is Guy Studt. The finely executed bits of architectural ornament, such as the carvings about the doorways, the grotesques

shields and coats of arms upon the Gothic gate, were the work of Victor Berlines. The figure in the shrine, a reproduction of a famous statue in the Musee Cluny, Paris, was done by Frederick Cortes and William Hertzel.

St. Louis society girls, dressed in the picturesque costume of peasants of Brittany, will serve as waitresses, and the cuisine will be French. One specialty will be onion soup, for which a famous recipe has been obtained.

Most of the professional skill, the materials and the labor for the "Village" were donated, so that a work which ordinarily would have cost \$10,000 was constructed for about one-tenth that sum. It is planned to keep the "Village" going for some time, first for the relief of such wounded among the allies as still need care, then for reconstruction work for disabled soldiers, and finally, perhaps, for the assistance of St. Louis hospitals.

THOUSANDS NOW USING ANTI-FLU TREATMENT

New Solution Discovered by Georgia College Professor Designed to Kill Deadly "Flu" Germ—First Used It to Protect Own Family—Just a Few Drops Inhaled From Pocket Handkerchief Disinfects Nose and Throat.

AS announced in yesterday's papers, Wilson's Solution, the new preventive treatment for Spanish Influenza which has been used in checking the epidemic in the South, is now on sale in St. Louis, and will be given as rapid distribution as possible throughout the United States. The solution, or "Anti-Flu," as it is more commonly called, was formulated by Professor Robert C. Wilson, for eleven years head of the department of pharmacy of the University of Georgia, for the protection of himself and his family against the deadly disease.

Local druggists are already reporting an enormous demand for the preparation and its use is being recommended by physicians to their patients. Although there are powerful means of other disinfectants commonly used, it is nonpoisonous, and the odor, although pungent, is not unpleasant. A few drops of the solution inhaled from a pocket handkerchief at frequent intervals will disinfect the nose and throat. Professor Wilson strongly recommends spraying the nose and throat night and day.

Wilson's Solution, which is also known as Anti-Flu, is to be used as a preventive treatment only, and not as a cure. It is a contract Spanish Influenza call your doctor, or write to J. A. Russell Drug Co., wholesale distributors for this section.

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News and Comment About Sporting Events

Varsity and Service Teams Play First Big Games Today For War Work Fund Benefit

Ruigers Vs. Great Lakes at Brooklyn, and Double-Header at Sportman's Park Are Among Many Gridiron Attractions Featured Throughout the Country.

By John E. Wray.

WAB and influenza having abated, college football will emerge from a state of semi-coma into full activity today, for the first time during the fall campaign. Locally and elsewhere important contests are scheduled, some of them intersectional and of unusual interest.

The opening of the St. Louis high school championship season, the double bill at Sportman's Park in which St. Louis University and three strong service eleven will figure, are local features.

Four very attractive contests have been arranged for this afternoon, headed, of course, by the double header at Sportman's Park. In the first of these, Camp Funston and Scott Field will battle for honors. St. Louis University's 1918 machine, with Coach Ernest C. Quigley at the wheel, will show to local fans for the first time, in the aftermath of the double engagement, opposing the Great Lakes Aviators, one of many regimental outfits at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

St. Louis University has had three games thus far this season. In the first of these, Quigley's charges, employing straight football tactics, overpowered McKendree College, 76 to 0. The Lebanon boys, however, were unable to provide a good test of strength for the Billikens.

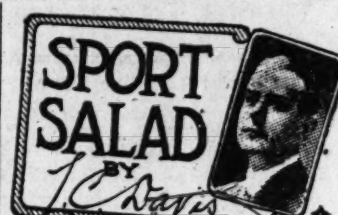
Later St. Louis U. defeated the Scott Field team, which meets Funston today, 31 to 7. Last Saturday, however, Quigley's charges bowed to Depauw, 19 to 6, which is a pardonable "crisis" place Depauw has one of the strongest aggregations in the west this season.

The entire gate receipts of today's games at Sportman's Park will be given to the United War Work Fund. The admission prices as announced by Father H. A. Hermann, director of athletics at St. Louis U., are \$1 for general admission, \$2 for field box seats and \$5.00 for grandstand box seats. No war work will be charged. The first game, that between Funston and Scott Field, will begin promptly at 1 o'clock. Sportman's Park may be reached either by the Grand car line (north) or the Natural Bridge line. Allen (Warrensburg), Anderson (Missouri) and Carlson (Michigan) have been selected as officials.

The three outside games of exceptional interest are the Michigan-Syracuse, Ohio State-Illinois and Great Lakes-Rutgers contests. The Michigan-Syracuse affair, arousing intersectional interest, but unless the Wolverines show a remarkable improvement over last Saturday's play, they are doomed to be crushed under the Eastern eleven's strong steam roller.

The Great Lakes team, a powerful assemblage of veterans, is just beginning to gain momentum. Coach Rockne of Notre Dame recently declared this eleven was one of the greatest aggregations he ever saw on a football field. The fact that it only broke even with Notre Dame, 7-7, however, does not warrant the complete enthusiasm of Coach Rockne.

Here's a Title Factor. Rutgers is generally believed to be one of two or three legitimate candidates for the season's championship. Rutgers crushed its strong oppo-



No Chance.
O. H. Paddy, dear, and did you hear The news that's going round?
The Kaiser's gone to Ireland
A kingdom there to found.
They chased him out of Holland
And to Ireland he will go
And raise a crop of sauerkraut
Where the Shamrocks used to grow.

I met with Napper Tandy
And I took him by the hand;
Said I, how is your Ireland
And how does she stand?
Said he: "She's stood for many things,
Though much against her will;
But tell the world that Ireland
Won't stand for Kaiser Bill."

"She's had her tribulations
Since the days of King Boru;
Her trials have been many
While her joys were very few.
So pass the word to Kaiser Bill
To make some other plan;
He cannot light in Ireland—
On snakes there is a ban."

All Aboard!
See where Henry Hohenzollern, formerly known as Prince Hank, is for the new Socialist government. Hank has his eye on the band wagon.

The minor leagues have abolished the draft. There will probably be a storm of protest when the majors get wind of it.

Ban Johnson says the plans for the reconstruction of baseball contemplate the abolition of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues. Better hurry up with that League of Nations. Another war is imminent.

Winning His Spurs.
Ebert, the new Chancellor of Germany, is a saddler by trade. Should the Bolshevik try to ride him he'll probably take the bit in his teeth.

See in the papers where the sugar bowl is coming back. Boy, page the catsup bottle.

What Sherman said about war didn't half cover the situation. It looks like all the Kings and Princes in Europe and their descendants even unto the 19th generation will have to go to work.

A journeyman King used to get cracking good wages and was paid whether he worked or not. Under the new order of things he'll have to punch the time clock and hustle for his coffee and rolls in competition with the blue shirt boys. Kinging ain't what it used to be.

Bad Company.
They're even talking about slipping the blue envelope to Queen Wilhelmina of Holland for being too friendly with Bill Hohenzollern, a notorious character who used to run a butcher shop in Germany. "Go down with a dog and get up with the fleas," as old Ben Franklin used to say while making up the mail edition of the Saturday Evening Post.

Times have changed. The next time a King holds up his hands and says, "Let there be war," that will be the signal to initiate him into the mysteries of the royal order of the tin can.

When the apprentice Kings have served their time they will be inducted into a nice little business, the kind that wears like a pig's nose, and told to go out and get on the trail of the elusive bacon and eggs.

Alas!
The trouble with the Kings was, their departments were non-productive and always showed a deficit. They tolled no, neither did they spin, yet they wore more glad rags, ate more and drank more than the whole office force combined. To minute the efficiency experts got to nosing around they didn't have any more chance than a rabbit.

Now that the world has been made safe for democracy, the Kings will probably claim to have been voting the Democratic ticket all these lives and try to get jobs in the city hall.

CAIRNS WINS SHOOT EVENT
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 16.—With a straight run of 120 and a score of 194 broken targets, Frank Cairns of Tampa, Kan., won the 200-target program of yesterday's fall shooting carnival here. J. B. Elliott of Kansas City was second with 192 and George Nicolai of Kansas City, third with 192. Del Gross of Kansas City and Ed O'Brien of Florence, Kan., tied for high professional of the day with 192 each. The Missouri Valley Championship at 100 targets, the big event of the meet, will be shot today.

YOST SWITCHES LINEUP
ANN ARBOR, Mich., Nov. 16.—With several changes in the line, which he says makes the University of Michigan eleven stronger than when it defeated Chicago last Saturday, Coach Yost was confident of another Wolverine victory when Syracuse University came here today for what is considered the most important game on the Michigan schedule.

Purdue-Wabash in Benefit.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 16.—Purdue University was expected to have comparatively little difficulty in the football game here today with the Wabash College team. The game was to be played for the benefit of the United War Work fund.

Football Games Scheduled Today

LOCAL.
Scott Field vs. Camp Funston at Sportman's Park, 1 o'clock.
St. Louis U. vs. Great Lakes Aviators at Sportsman's Park, 3 o'clock.
Cleveland vs. Yeatman at High School Field, 1:30 o'clock.
Soldan vs. Central at High School Field at 1:30 o'clock.

WEST.
Chicago vs. Northwestern at Evanston.
Ohio State vs. Illinois at Urbana.
Wisconsin vs. Minnesota at Minneapolis.
Syracuse vs. Michigan at Ann Arbor.
Iowa vs. Ames at Iowa City.
Purdue vs. Wabash at Indianapolis.
Indiana vs. Depauw at Bloomington.
Notre Dame vs. Michigan Aggies at Lansing.
Chicago Naval Reserve vs. Camp Dodge at Chicago.
Camp Grant vs. Omaha Balloon School at Omaha.
Cornell vs. Cleveland Naval Reserve at Cleveland.
Kansas vs. Nebraska at Lincoln.
Case vs. Oberlin at Oberlin.
Kansas Aggies vs. Creighton at Omaha.

EAST.
Camp Union vs. Princeton at New York.
Great Lakes vs. Rutgers at Brooklyn.
Western vs. Columbia at New York.
Fordham vs. Boston College at Boston.
New York vs. Maryland State at Washington.

SOUTH.
Georgia Tech vs. Camp Gordon at Atlanta.
Camp Hancock vs. Camp Taylor at Louisville.
Tulane vs. Camp Pike at New Orleans.
Citadel vs. Clemson at Columbia.
South Carolina vs. Furman at Greenville.
Erskine vs. Wofford at Spartanburg.

SECOND GAME.
Soldan, Position, Great Lakes.
Kling (100), L. T. 145
Gaskela (104), L. T. 145
Zelinski (120), L. T. 145
Hawley (132), R. T. 145
Long (128), R. T. 145
Hansen (145), R. T. 145
Muller (150), R. T. 145
Wendler (145), L. T. 145
Trumm (170), L. T. 145
Corney (176), L. T. 145
Yeatman (181), L. T. 145
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SECRETARY DANIELS TO SEE GREAT LAKES PLAY
RUTGERS ELEVEN TODAY
NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels is in New York today for the gridiron struggle between the Great Lakes Naval Training Station football team and the Rutgers College eleven at Ebbets Field, Brooklyn. Neither of these teams has been defeated this season. The receipts will go to swell the United War Work fund.

Following is the probable lineup:
Rutgers. Position, Great Lakes.
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CENTRAL AND SOLDAN IN FEATURE CONTEST

Meet in Opening of High School Race Today—Cleveland Opposes Yeatman.

After having been thrice postponed while the influenza quarantine was in effect here, the championship football race of the interscholastic league will begin today afternoon with a double header at High School Field. Cleveland and Yeatman will meet in the first game, while Soldan and Central will provide the second feature contest.

High school eleven have been practicing in "private" for the past two weeks and so far as known to the coaches, all players are in good physical condition. The high school race, because the teams apparently are evenly balanced, is expected to be one of the closest in history this season.

The lineups for the double header this afternoon:

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PIZZA BATTLE IS FEATURE AT GRID GAME
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An airplane battle between some 60 old planes and an exhibition by Charles Brickley, former Harvard foot kicking star, is propelling a football over the broomsticks, were added attractions.

Pittsburgh Outweighs Penn.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 16.—The most important all-college football game in the East today will be staged here between the University of Pittsburgh and the University of Pennsylvania. The Panthers will outweigh the Quakers almost 10 pounds to the pound, but it is the general feeling that the latter eleven will give Pitt a real battle.

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Flashes From Filmland

Elsie Janis, the idol of the "boys," for whom she is dancing in the library theaters over there, has had a gun named after her. There are three giant guns hurling projectiles at the walls of stone and steel surrounding Metz—"Woodrow Wilson," "Elsie Janis," and "Hinky Dink." We'll hear from these guns, even if they are 3000 miles away.

Fritzi Brunette of Universal has changed her name from Fritzi to her real one of Florence, by which she was christened, because "Fritzi" is too teutonic.

Joseph Sedgwick has resigned from Triangle. The parting was an entirely amicable one, according to both sides. Josie hasn't told us what she's going to do next.

The screen has lost Henry Walthall. After a dozen years in the picture studios of Griffith, Balboa, Paralta, and Essanay, Walthall has gone back to the stage, to play an important part in a new play, "Tarn and Sabino," on Broadway.

It is reported that Elsie Ferguson is to return to the stage. She has found a play to her liking and may desert the screen to appear in it.

Tonight at the New Delmar Theater, Delmar and Aubert avenues, the program will be headed by Ethel Clayton in "The Soul Without Windows." An L-Ko comedy and the Universal Weekly will follow the bill. Sunday's program will be headed by the new William Farnum picture, "Riders of the Purple Sage."

A big program is on at the Cinders Theater, Cherokee and Iowa avenues, tonight, and includes as features, Alice Brady in "At the Mercy of Men" and Jack Richardson in "His Enemy, the Law." Sunday, Dorothy Dalton in "Green Eyes," and Roscoe Arbuckle in "The Cook" will be shown at a Broadway house, and in prospect are: Monday, June Elvidge in "The Power and the Glory"; Tuesday and Wednesday, Billie Burke in "In Pursuit of Polly" and William Farnum in "Rough and Ready"; Thursday and Friday, John Barrymore in "On the Quiet" and Gloria Swanson in "Shifting Sands."

Harry Rapf of New York is all for the ladies. He has made an all-woman feature, it is in seven reels, depicting women's rise in the affairs of the nation and particularly her part in the war. It is written by women, and backed by women. When ready for exhibition the picture will be shown at a Broadway house, and during its run the entire staff of the theater will be composed of women, including the publicity staff, orchestra and attendants.

Mary Pickford hasn't signed that First National contract yet. Her mother is in New York considering with Mary's attorney all contracts offered. Mary has, as previously stated, organized her own company and is getting ready for her production at this time.

William Davidson, a well known leading man for Metro and Fox, has entered the officers' training school at Camp Taylor, Ky. Davidson was accepted after several attempts to enlist.

Bessie Barriscale, according to reports current in Los Angeles, has left Paralta. Her last picture is "The Heart of Rachel," now completed. The Hickmans have not yet

MAY INTRODUCE BOXING IN SCHOOLS ON COAST
If George E. Gallagher, president of the Board of Education of San Francisco, has his way, the city will soon turn out as many boxers as Boston turns out beans.

President Gallagher has drawn up a resolution providing for the introduction of boxing instruction in the high schools. Needless to say, the pupils favor the idea, and official circles are said to be more or less favorably inclined toward it.

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Allan Dwan is no longer directing for Douglas Fairbanks. Dwan began the new Fairbanks picture, "Arizona," but left when it was half completed. Albert Parker finished it, and will be retained to direct the ensuing Fairbanks subjects.

William Faversham, before beginning his regular dramatic season, is a special picture for Artcraft of the famous melodrama, "The Silver King."

Jack Mulhall has been re-engaged by Famous Players-Lasky to support Lila Lee in a forthcoming picture. His last Paramount appearance was in "Wild Youth."

Eugene O'Brien has signed a four-year contract with Paramount to appear as leading man for the Famous Players-Lasky stars. He makes his Artcraft bow with Elsie Ferguson in "Under the Greenwood Tree."

William Desmond will be a western star, so Triangle officials have decided. He has begun work in the third photoplay of his character, following the trail of Roy Stewart, Triangle's first cowboy star. In forsaking the dress suit for chaps and sombrero Desmond was heard to suppress a sigh—whether of relief or regret, we don't know.

Ignace Paderewski is the latest great musician to be persuaded to go into pictures. The pianist will make one picture to aid the war sufferers of his native Poland, to assist whom he has virtually abandoned his career since the war began. One-half the receipts earned by the Paderewski film will be devoted to the Polish Relief Fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis X. Bushman will make one more moving picture for Metro. They have formed no plans for their future film activities. The Bushman-Bayne agreement with the Metro expired some time ago and they have been continuing without a contract.

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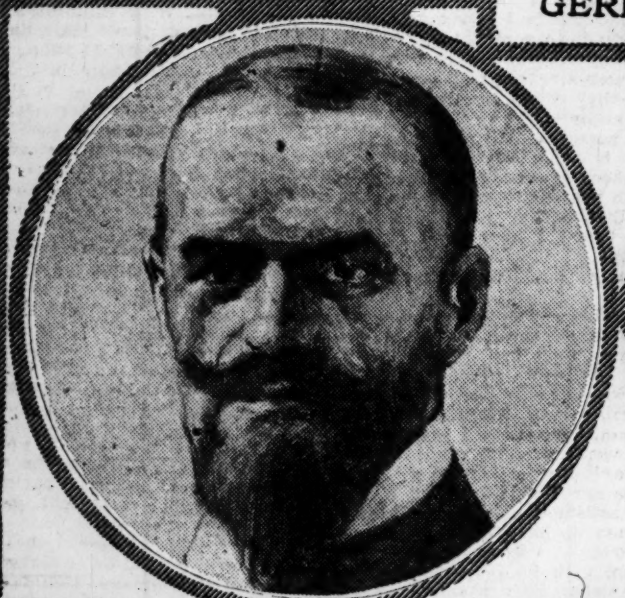


New portrait of Friedrich Ebert, the Socialist Premier.



Wilhelm Dittman, Minister of Demobilization, Transport, Justice and Health.

THE FIRST CABINET OF REPUBLICAN GERMANY



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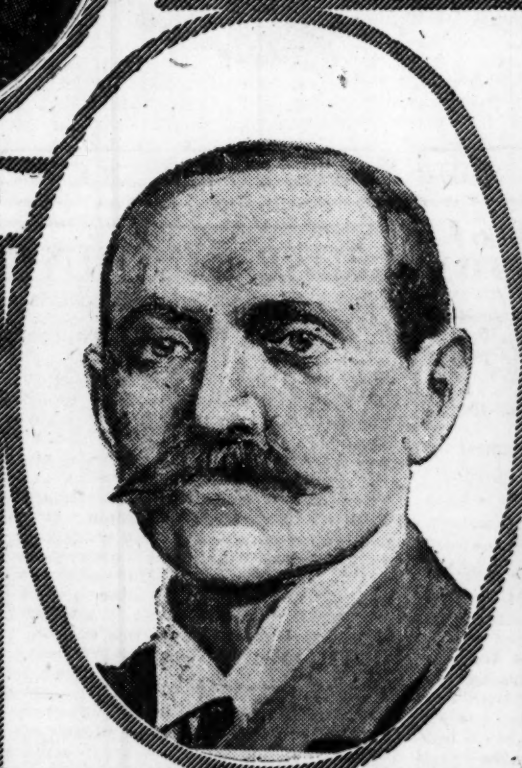
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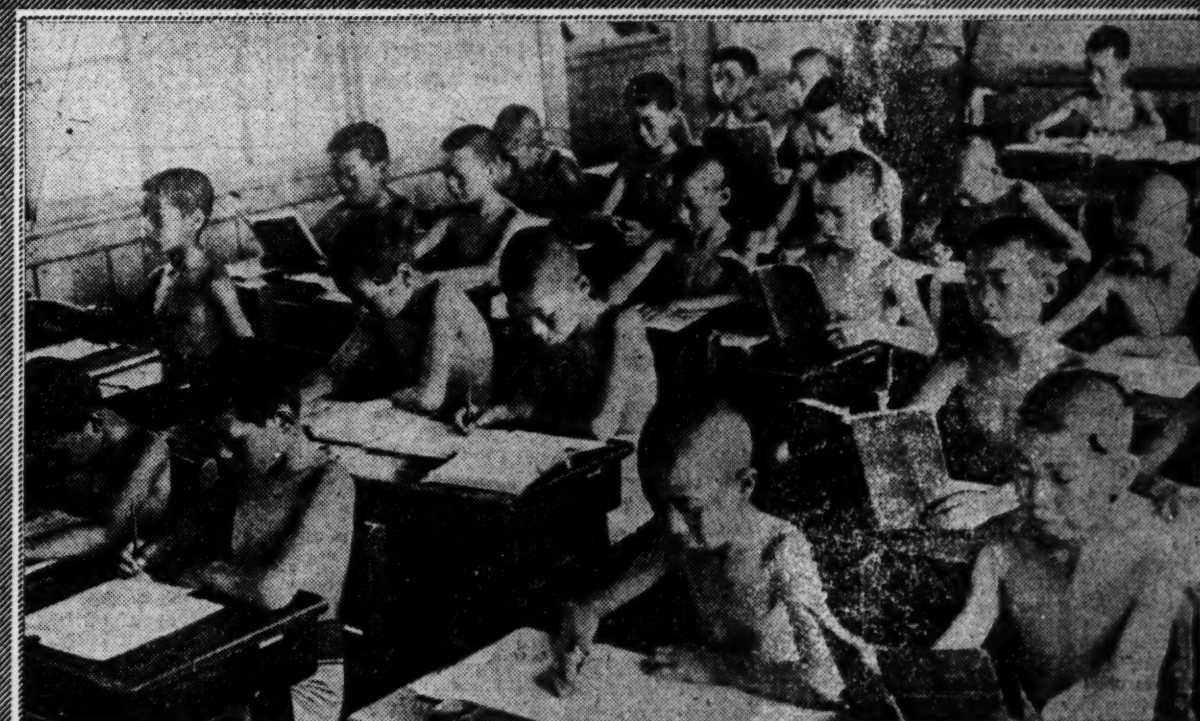
The palace of the former Kaiser in Berlin where Socialists now hold sway.



Airplane view of Ostend Harbor showing inner basins clear of all German warships.



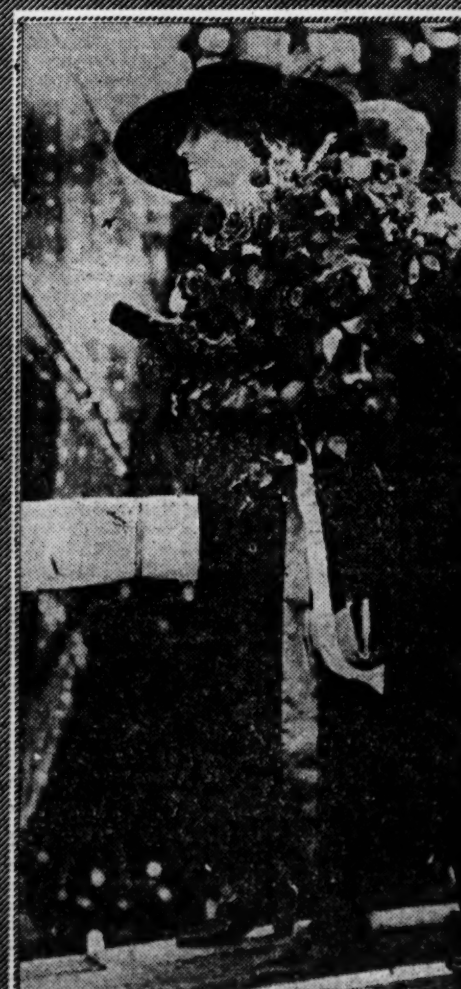
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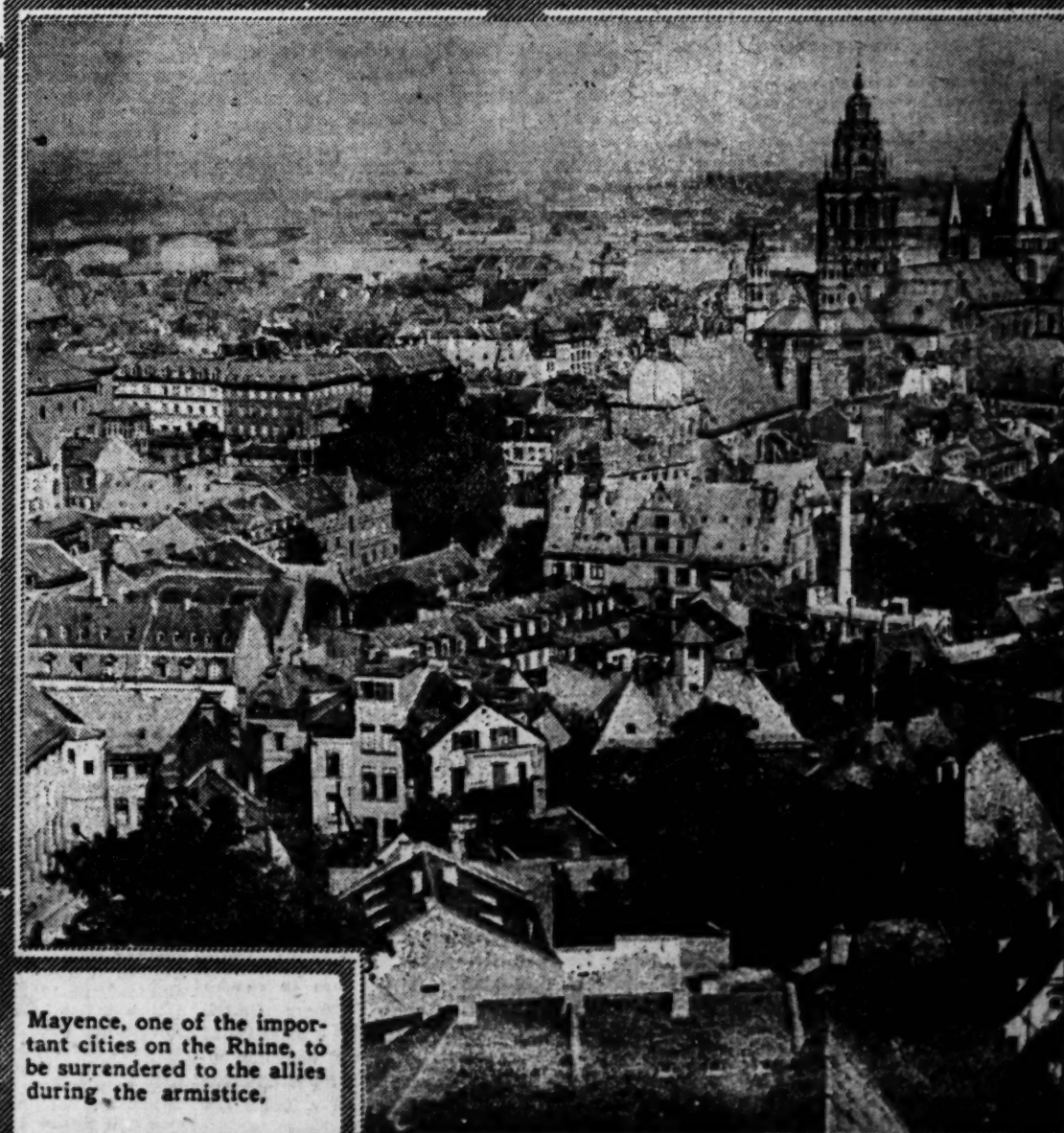
Japan is trying the experiment of having pupils in schools do their studying in an almost clothesless state.



School children of Ostend, led by their padre, going to meet incoming British troops after the Germans departed.



Helen Keller, America's most accomplished blind girl, christening ship at launching.



Mayence, one of the important cities on the Rhine, to be surrendered to the allies during the armistice.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Attacking Union Labor.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In a public statement the Star accuses the Post-Dispatch of "fostering and provoking" the street car strike. This statement is an indirect attack upon organized labor, and as a union man, I very emphatically resent it. Organized labor has the recognition of the Government, it is the only way the working class has of securing decent living wages and conditions. Is the Star serving corporation interests when it takes this stand? Does it wish to deny the men's right to a respectable living wage? The street car men had the backing of practically every labor organization in St. Louis and East St. Louis before ever the public knew anything about it and the U. R. was "firing" men because they were promoting the organization of the men.

Is it good policy to indirectly brand labor as pro-German because it would strike when other means failed to gain honest ends? Time and again during this war has this brand been applied (always indirectly) to labor by agents of corporations and it has been thoroughly refuted.

The Star at the outset of the street car strike was opposed to it but when it saw the trend of public opinion changed sides and was with the men, and now it has changed sides again and indirectly attacks them. Why?

The Star shows poor judgment when in attacking a paper that backs up the people, it indirectly attacks a class of people whose voice is heard from one coast to the other. Very truly yours,

C. A. ROWE.

Essen in Rhenish Prussia.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

A St. Louis evening paper on its editorial page Wednesday claimed the city of Essen is not in the Rhenish Province, this is wrong. The city of Essen is in the Rhenish Province, the same as St. Louis is in Missouri.

B. E. KERSTING.

The Unconquerable French Spirit.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In the Nov. 7 issue of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch I read an advertisement published by the United War Work Committee under the title, "The Spirit That Germany Couldn't Beat."

A number of statements appearing therein were so unjust to the French army, to the spirit it has always shown, that I immediately forwarded the advertisement to the Consul of France at Chicago, under whose jurisdiction is St. Louis, asking if a protest was not in order.

The following letter was received from Chicago:

Chicago, Nov. 11, 1918.

Mr. Marc Seguin, French Consul

Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

My Dear Mr. Seguin: I thank you most sincerely for having brought to my notice the advertisement published in the 7th of November issue of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch by the United War Work Campaign Committee under the title, "The Spirit That Germany Couldn't Beat."

It is with great surprise that I have read therein such statements as these: "Her troops were weary and discouraged. Weeks after weeks of hard fighting . . . had broken their spirit. . . . Regiment after regiment threw down its arms." I perfectly understand that this is an advertisement written in a commercial way and that therefore the writer has forced the expression of his thought. But I cannot help protesting against such a misrepresentation of reality. If it is true that in that terrible spring of 1918 the French with the British fought against great odds, that they were often exhausted and that they had to fall back, it is not true that they were discouraged. It is not true that regiment after regiment "threw down its arms." According to what I know and to what I heard at the time from former comrades in arms, who were in action, never had the spirit of our army been finer than in those days of stress and anguish. Did they not save the situation in March on the Somme and the Oise, in April in Flanders? At the end of May the Germans attacked on the Aisne. They advanced as far as Chateau-Thierry. The crisis was of great gravity, but no one on the French side was discouraged; in fact, may I not say that the French soul never shone with more splendor than during the dark hours of this year, in 1914, 1915 and 1918? And the army of France embodied her spirit. Then, the marines came in to relieve our boys. The spiritual and physical freshness of the Americans was arriving in time to the rescue of the French, weary and exhausted, but unbroken in spirit.

This is the truth. One really wonders why some people think it necessary not to show it as it is, simple and beautiful.

M. DE VERNEUIL.

Acting French Consul.

At the request of M. de Verneuil, who has also submitted the facts to the French Ambassador, I will ask you, Mr. Editor, to give the necessary publicity to the above. Yours sincerely,

MARC SEGUIN,

Consular Agent of France.

THE WATERWAYS IN PEACE.

The signing of the armistice on Nov. 11 came only six weeks after the sailing of the first barge fleet from St. Louis to New Orleans on Sept. 23.

Since the start important plans for enlarging the service with the tonnage already available and for material additions to the tonnage have been shaped and some steps have already been taken for putting them into effect. The end of the war should bring no decrease in the scope of these plans. Rather, their scope should be amplified.

The act under which the direction of water lines, along with rail lines, is assumed by the Government will not expire until 21 months after the formal peace treaty is signed. Accordingly, if control of waterways is ever relinquished, it will not be until control of the railroad system is also relinquished. The possibilities of these coming 21 months for the great area which it is practicable for the rivers to serve are not easily exaggerated. What is done with the waterways will be an even greater test of Government initiative and efficiency in transportation control than what is done with the railroads.

In the railroads the Government took over a transportation system whose larger problems had been solved under private initiative and which had already reached a high state of usefulness. The chief opportunity for improvement under public management lay in the direction of a unified utility and toward this important advances had been made under private management.

But in the case of the waterways the Government has the great opportunity of constructive planning, of creative execution, of bringing into existence for serving the people of agencies not previously at their disposal. Its task is rendered the easier because the value of the interior waterways has had ample demonstration in the past. The new task is one of restoration. All there is to do is to provide the facilities of service and keep them in dependable, regular use.

The rivers are linked with all our plans for the future abroad. They must be used in moving materials for reconstruction in Europe and in assembling the cargoes for our expanding merchant marine. More and more craft must be built, new reaches of the streams must be invaded, more frequent sailings must be provided.

Around the experiment of Government in transportation fierce discussions will rage in the future. We may believe that the success of the experiment will be judged more from results on the waterways than results on the railroads.

The Kaiser's mailed fist has gone to the dead letter office.

MAKE WASHINGTON THE PEACE CITY.

One way to have President Wilson at the peace conference would be to hold it in Washington.

If this plan is adopted, the prophecy of the late Lord Kitchener will have come true. It was early in the conflict that Lord Kitchener was quoted as saying: "This war will be fought on land, on the sea, under the sea and in the air, but it will be settled in Washington."

The capital of the great republic whose President so ably defined the war aims and purposes of the allies and unified their armies and whose resources were the decisive factor in the finishing stroke would be an excellent place for the peace conference. The conference would be free here from all distracting influences.

Is there room for a war lord and peace palace in Holland?

WAR NAMES FOR OLD STREETS.

A correspondent suggests that King's highway boulevard be named Foch boulevard. Once before a plan to change the name of this thoroughfare found some favor. It was proposed to call it Dewey boulevard, but in view of the great number of streets to which the Admiral's name had been given throughout the country, it was held that the change would substitute nothing more distinctive than the existing name. Perhaps when all the returns are in the same objection will apply to Foch.

If King's highway is a perpetuation of the old Spanish, El Camino Real, as is asserted, it lacks distinctiveness in the sense of commemorating any particular royal personage or event. "El Camino Real" is applied so indiscriminately its original derivation is almost lost sight of. If our great thoroughfare should be called Public Highway boulevard, it would come close to expressing the sense of the original designation. To use the old Spanish words might be reminder of a former era in St. Louis history. The translation is practically meaningless.

If the name King's highway survives the present craze for embalming memories of the great war and this present time of unpopularity for all reminders of Kings, it is likely to be permanent. Should any change at all be made why not call it Clemenceau, after the greatest Premier in French history and a democracy which has honored our own President by giving his name to important streets in its own cities? But let King's highway stick—it leads to the river.

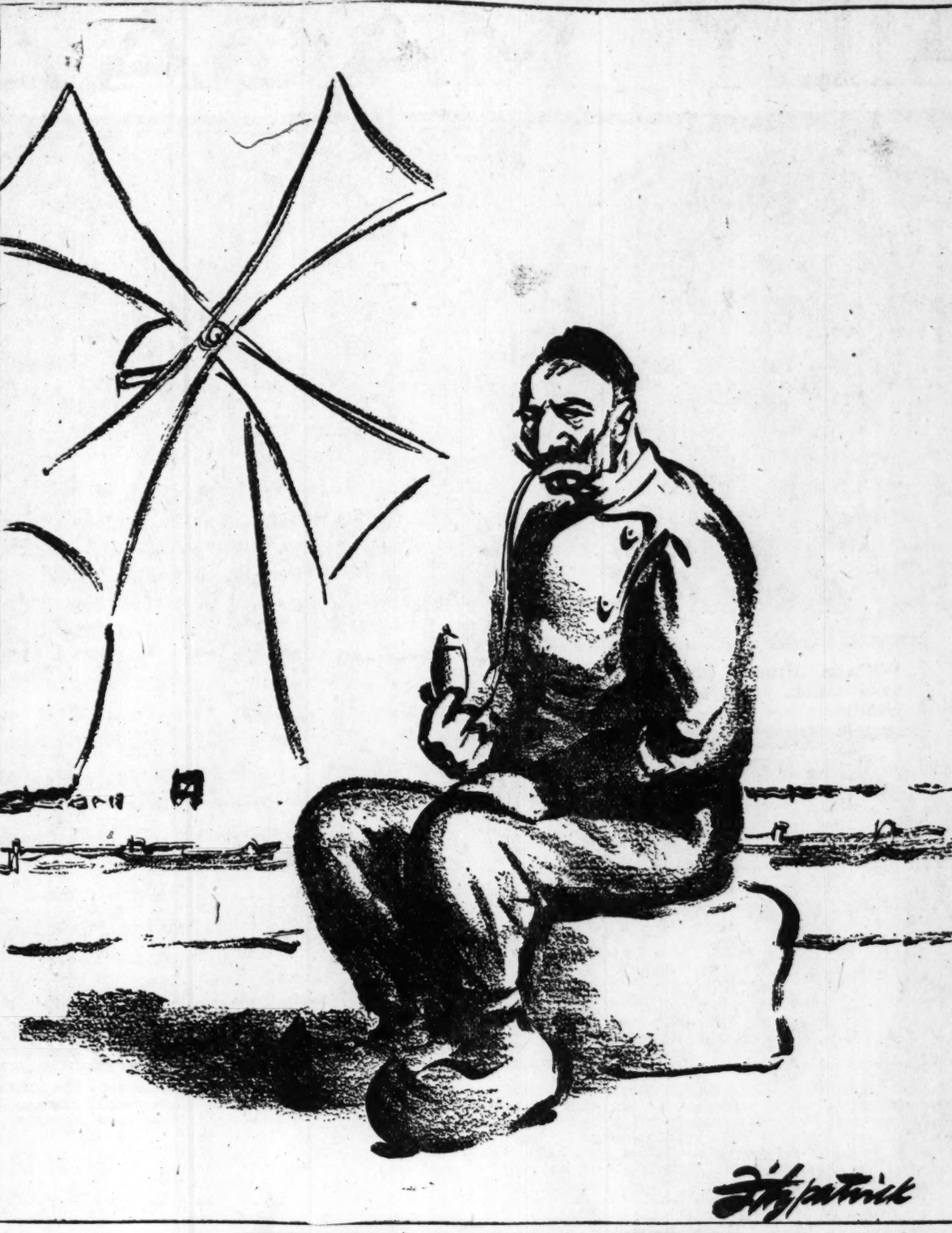
There will be a great saving of paper on the next issue of the Almanach de Gotha.

NONE BUT "STRAIGHT" TICKETS.

The Sheriff of Falls County, Tex., has found an entirely new means of contesting for office. He has filed objection to his recent opponent taking the office from him on the ground that a scratched ballot is a mutilated ballot and should not be counted. Sheriff Platt, it would appear, was the nominee on the only ticket regularly nominated in Falls County, but that the people there did not want him to serve again and they agreed on a man named Moore for the office.

The only means of electing Moore was to scratch Sheriff Platt's name and write in that of Moore. On the face of the returns, Moore was elected by a majority of 500. Now comes the Sheriff with his objection to voting any way but "straight." A peculiar phase is that it is assumed that there is some sort of a Texas law which would offer a basis to such a suit.

For the first time in history, there is not a von in the German Cabinet. The people have superseded the vons.



"THIS BEATS ST. HELENA ANYWAY."

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspaper and periodicals on the questions of the day.

MR. HOHENZOLLERN, TRAVELER.

From the Detroit News.

WILLIAM HOHENZOLLERN is traveling somewhere in Holland."

How commonplace and ordinary such a statement sounds. William Hohenzollern—

he might be a salesman for a toy factory or a buyer for a nursery seeking tulip bulbs in Netherlands. Or then again, he might be traveling for his health.

What has been lopped from William Hohenzollern that has subtracted so much? Not long since those who entered his presence made certain special bows and were instructed to back out when departing. A few years—yes, months ago the name of this man terrified little children in far-off lands and gave bad dreams to those in authority in most of the capitals of the world. Now William Hohenzollern is traveling in Holland and street gamins in New York and Paris and London and hoboes on flat cars rumbling through tank towns make gibes about him.

What has William Hohenzollern lost that has so changed his standing?

Nothing that was his. In other days it pleased the German people to employ as a symbol of their sovereignty the imperium, the sovereignty was theirs and the imperium was theirs, but they needed temporarily a figure to hang it on. Through the device of heredity which they adopted the imperium temporarily clothed William Hohenzollern.

And what is more to be wondered at when they had clothed William Hohenzollern with this symbol of their sovereignty they added with it the power to juggle with their good name, to jeopardize their commercial credit and their reputation for integrity and their standing and sympathetic relationships among the other branches of the human family.

That was a mistake they are not likely to forget. When tribulation came because of this folly they took back their imperium and left Wilhelm II what he truly was, William Hohenzollern.

Persia Independent.

From the New York Evening Post.

THE withdrawal of Turkish troops from Persia, which is made a condition of the armistice recently concluded with the Ottoman Government, constitutes a further step toward the re-establishment of Persian independence. In 1907 Great Britain and Russia made an agreement dividing the Shah's territory into two spheres of influence, the northern sphere to be controlled by Russia, the southern sphere by Great Britain. With the forced dismissal of Morgan Shuster from his post as financial adviser to the Shah and the forced Anglo-Russian loan in 1912, Persia ceased to exist as an independent nation. But the Russian revolution brought new hope to Persian patriots. Russia last year repudiated the 1907 and 1912 arrangements and withdrew her troops from Persia. Thereafter England, no longer threatened on her Indian frontier by the Russian advance, also indicated her willingness to abandon those unfortunate and unjust treaties. Only the Turkish invasion still menaced Persian freedom. That danger has now passed also. Persia must and will be among the small nations whose right to a free and independent existence will be recognized and approved at the coming peace congress.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McDooms

OUR OWN WAR REVIEW.

WE wish that everyone might have heard what Socrates said at a conference of our two-story thinkers on the editorial page yesterday. He was talking about peace. If we are to have a peace of any permanency at all, according to Socrates, we must first understand clearly what the war was about. He said the war was a titanic struggle between good and bad manners. Good manners won. Rudeness is a reputation for boorishness that which is indifferent alike to the rights of others and what others think. The Germans made a cult of it. They first set themselves up as the world's champion boor, and from that followed all those things which made them impossible. There may be other names for the invasion of Belgium despite a solemn treaty to respect that nation's rights, but in the last analysis it was bad manners. It was a rudeness to which the Germans had developed through a long series of ill-mannered acts which gave the nation even before the war a reputation for boorishness. Travelers in Germany had told incredible stories of German rudeness. One American, who saw a German officer take a train seat away from an English tourist, asked the Briton why he should do it, assuring him that no American would. The Briton said: "I know you feel that way about it, but I travel a good deal in Germany. I have learned to submit. If I quarreled with this officer, I would be arrested and fined. The courts are part of the army. I can avoid delay and expense by submission." There you have it, said Socrates. Your German soldier could push a civilian off the well, without fear of punishment. Militarism had made of the Germans a nation of boors. The development from that to disrespect of the rights of Belgium, to the destruction of Louvain, to frightfulness, submergence, night bombing, the poisoning of wells, the use of poison gas and a thousand other atrocities of the Germans during the war was the most natural thing in the world. It simply became a question whether bad manners should rule the world. Good manners got together and gave the matter a test. He thinks the test has been thorough. "We may expect good manners now," Socrates said. We shall quote him here—it is very important. "We must not, however, assume that because good manners won there are not bad-mannered people upon our side. Nothing is so vital now as a good-mannered peace. If men like the Premier Clemenceau and Lloyd George are to dictate its terms, we need have no fear. The supreme test of good manners will come when the peace conference meets. What is to be our attitude as conquerors toward the enemy as losers? Is it to be that same attitude of boorishness which in 1870 induced Germany to force a brutal peace upon France? Or is it to be that which, while still punishing the Germans for their unspeakable crimes, shall so temper correction with mercy that peace can last?"

You may be sure that all our big wits were impressed by that. Mr. Antwine said he was greatly encouraged to learn that the peace conference was not to be held for some

time, when the feeling on our part will no doubt have cooled. He thought the Germans were learning faster just at this time than almost any other people in the world. He noticed that as soon as they heard about the Republicans capturing Congress they surrendered unconditionally, as if accepting Col. Roosevelt's assertion that this had been the issue in the campaign. He thought they were in a fair way to make up about all the ground they have lost, having shed themselves as they have of that entire school of braid-wearing barbarians who have made of Europe a shambles and the blue sea red.

Nobody seemed to know whether the President would consent to sit in the conference or not, though it was pretty generally hoped that if he decides to do so he will have Col. House at his elbow. It has been pointed out by several of our intellectual luminaries that the President's appeal for political support in the last campaign, which was apparently a mistake, was made while Col. House was away in Europe. It was something that never could have happened had the Colonel been home. At least, Glaucon said that—and Glaucon is by long odds the shrewdest of the pupils of Socrates.

More next week—maybe.

"THE LOST BATTALION."

The story of how a whole American battalion surrounded by Germans in the Forest of Argonne, was rescued is told in the issue of the Stars and Stripes of Oct. 11, 1918.

WHEN the last shot is fired, and the war-weary world has been purged of the dastards who gloried in crime, and peace is unfurled, and the great torch of freedom refulgent shall shine, and the soul-stirring tale of that cold, bleak ravine, where a heroic battalion, beleaguered, fought on, aye, fought, starved and died, with a courage sublime, 'midst a hailstorm of death, 'neath the cliffs of Argonne.

With a desperate courage that passes belief, Drenched, hungry, exhausted, their "backs to the wall," Sustained by the verve of their idealized chief, They swore to hold fast, till the last man should fall, How the courier birds bore the call for relief, And each brave, hardy Yank fought to rescue his pal, While up from the depths of the forest beneath They heard, with hearts bursting with joy, the call, "We're here, boys; we're here!" JAMES JOHNSTON, Alton, Ill.

HENRY FORD GLAD HE GOT INTO POLITICS

Not Sorry He Lost, and Entered Race Only to Please President.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—An answer to that very popular question: "What does Henry Ford think about politics?" was given yesterday by Ford in a formal statement, which he issued while in this city on business. He is both interested and amazed by politics, it would seem. He is not at all disappointed because he was not elected United States Senator from Michigan. His statement follows: "I did not approve of my candidacy for the senatorship, did not turn a hand or spend a cent to get the office, and should not have gone after it had I not been asked to by President Wilson. No other man in the world could have induced me to enter the race.

Worked Out for the Best.

"And things usually work out for the best in spite of ourselves, and I feel very grateful to Mr. Wilson for getting me into it. The experience has been splendid. It has given me a new angle on human nature; has given me a taste of politics; has shown me where I stand with my neighbors; and the critics—God bless them—they knock the corners off and develop a fellow, help make him strong—they didn't use spikes, and mud is easily washed off.

"The personal satisfaction in the election is this: Any man worth while likes to know that he stands well with his neighbors, and the vote shows that in my home city and county, where I have lived all my life, I got all the Democratic votes and nearly half the Republican votes.

Neighbors Stood by Him.

"That is, my neighbors gave me nearly two votes for every one cast for my opponent, a man of good family whose home has been in the same county all his life—against whom nothing was said except that he represents the use of money in politics and the sway of the dollar in activities generally.

"The satisfaction in a larger way came from the fact that the election demonstrated that rock-ribbed Michigan, with its 100,000 Republican majority, isn't rock-ribbed as some people would think it is when it comes to a matter of real principle; and it shows a breaking away of the voters from the old party labels.

"With that 100,000 normal majority to start on they had to call on all the powers in the State and outside the State to break every record.

"Two ex-Presidents and one would-be President got into the fracas. Two of them stopped making faces at each other long enough to get together and take a united walkoff at me, and the would-be came limping in late with his partisan contribution.

"At that, nearly 50,000 Republicans jumped out of the corral and ran loose, and they seem to like it, too. That bids well for the future.

"I have been asked if I am going to continue to take an interest in politics. If by that is meant getting into the ditch and throwing mud, I say No, emphatically. But if by it is meant throwing what support I can to the President, I say Yes, just as emphatically.

"Everybody's hope in Europe is pinned on Mr. Wilson's name, his deeds. He has performed well the work of carrying a peace loving nation through a righteous war to a successful peace, and has shown the great problems of helping to bring the nations back to a peace basis, a just and lasting peace.

"I will not probably be able to help him in Congress, but I shall help him in every other way I can. The demonstrations all over the country, following announcement of the cessation of hostilities, show that the people do not like war and are with him in a love for peace that comes with honor, the only kind of a peace any of us want."

Influences Against President.

"But there are influences organizing against him now, organizing to turn the results of the war to their profit and to keep the people from reaping the full benefits of their sacrifices. We say that in Michigan in the recent election.

"Wall street influences took a lively interest in the election. They admit spending \$175,000 to get the nomination for their candidate, and he was actually spent in the election to secure that senatorial seat goodness only knows.

"If they would spend \$175,000 to get one mere nomination, they would spend \$175,000,000 and more to clean up on the country. That is where our danger lies; that is what makes for Bolshevism.

"It is this sinister influence that must be combated. After Germany's great victory in 1917, the military party fastened militarism on that nation; and that same militarism, like a Frankenstein, turned and ruined the very nation which created it and to which it had given a false feeling of security for a time. We must see to it that our nation does not fall into the same error."

MASARYK PRESIDENT OF CZECHS

Republic Is Proclaimed by National Assembly.

By the Associated Press. PRAGUE, Nov. 15.—The Czechoslovak republic was proclaimed yesterday by the National Assembly and the election of Prof. T. G. Masaryk as President was ratified, according to an official dispatch from Prague.

Australia Sent 330,000 Overseas.

MELBOURNE, via Montreal, Nov. 16.—It is stated here that Australia's enlistments totaled 415,000. Of this number 330,000 men went overseas.

2 MORE ST. LOUISANS KILLED IN ARGONNE

Another Also Meets Death in Action—One Succumbs to Wounds, One to Pneumonia.

Elmer H. Emig, 22 years old, of M Company, and John W. Brady, 24, of K Company, 138th (St. Louis) Infantry, were killed in action in the Argonne Forest fighting.

Emig formerly lived at 905 Bates street and notification yesterday of his death in action came to his brother, G. A. Emig, at that address. Two other brothers were in the same company—Paul Emig, who yesterday was reported in the casualty list as having been wounded, and Fred Emig. Elmer Emig formerly was an office employee of the United Railways. He enlisted in April, 1917.

Brady was killed Sept. 23, according to information received by his sister, Mrs. May Williams, 1314 North Grand avenue. He enlisted as a cook in April, 1917. He formerly was a clerk in a Wellington grocery and lived at 6200 Ella avenue.

Louis J. Schaub, 28, of B Company, 138th Infantry, was wounded in action Sept. 23, died Sept. 29, according to a telegram received from the War Department by his cousin, W. J. McNulty, 106 Highland place, East St. Louis. Schaub enlisted June 4, 1917. His home was in Coulterville, Ill.

James J. Blanton, 24, of D Company, 148th Machine Gun Battalion, was killed in action Oct. 9, according to a telegram received by his father, James Blanton of 1409 Tower Grove avenue. He formerly worked for the National Lead Co., and was drafted last February. In a letter written Sept. 27, he said the American army "had the Germans going."

Edward Eaves, 22, of M Company, Medical Department, 364th Infantry, is named in an official telegram to his mother, Mrs. Lillie Eaves of 1831 North Market street, as having died from wounds Sept. 30. However, Mrs. Eaves showed a Post-Dispatch reporter letters from her son, dated Oct. 4 and Oct. 8, saying he had been wounded in the face and hand but was well and happy. He was drafted last June, and a brother, Clarence, is in the service.

John J. Nackle, 24 years old, 1418 North Third street, St. Charles, a member of H Company, 4th Infantry, died Oct. 24 of wounds received in action. The War Department notified his brother, Joseph Nackle, a St. Charles merchant. He is the eighteenth St. Charles County man to die in service. He was drafted to die in service. He was drafted to die in service. He was drafted to die in service.

Arch F. Keenher, 25, of the headquarters detachment, Eighty-fourth Division, died in France of pneumonia, his father, John Keenher, of Jerseyville, has been notified. He was a graduate of the University of Illinois, and was a civil engineer with the State Highway Commission before entering military service.

William Riley of I Company, 254th Infantry, was wounded severely Sept. 12, according to a telegram received by his sister, Mrs. Robert Oliver of 4430 Chouteau avenue. He was a brother of Joseph Riley of M Company, 354th Infantry, whose death from wounds received in action was recorded in the Post-Dispatch last Sunday. William Riley was formerly a teamster. The 354th is the Camp Funston regiment containing many drafted St. Louisans.

Robert L. Yates of A Company, 354th, is reported as wounded severely, in an official telegram to his mother, Mrs. Sarah Yates of 1135 Kentucky avenue. The mother has asked the War Department for more particulars, and states this dispatch may refer to his being gassed, a fact which she had already learned.

Edwin Remer, 25, of the Machine Gun Company, 356th Infantry, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Remer of 309 North Seventh street, St. Charles, was wounded Sept. 22, being struck in the face with shrapnel, and is named in today's list. He was a carpenter, and was drafted last April. Harry Steinkemper, 24, of B Company, 138th Infantry, has written to his mother, Mrs. Steinkemper of 763 Clara avenue, that he is recovering from shrapnel wounds received Sept. 26. He has been in the First Regiment since 1916.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Klemme of Belleville yesterday received a letter from their son, Corp. Val. Klemme, of the 138th Infantry, stating that he is in the hospital from a shrapnel wound suffered in action. "I got five of the Boches before they laid me low," writes Klemme. He also stated that it was on his thirteenth time over the top that he was wounded. Klemme's brother, William, was killed in action about four months ago.

GEN. PERSHING IN ORDER OF DAY CONGRATULATES SOLDIERS

Urges Men to Show Themselves to Be Well Disciplined and Respectful of Civil Rights.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Nov. 16.—Gen. Pershing yesterday addressed a letter to the soldiers in an order of the day congratulating them on the splendid results of the victory achieved.

The order urges the men, now that they are on enemy territory or the freed soil of France, to show themselves to be well disciplined, correct in their behavior and respectful of civil rights.

Minnesota "Wet" by 750 Votes.

By the Associated Press. ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 16.—Minnesota will remain "wet" as complete official returns announced show that the proposed dry amendment to the State Constitution failed by only 750 votes at the general election Nov. 5.

THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TONIGHT

BY MRS. F. A. WALKER.

Was It the Field Fairy? Part II.

JACK wondered what the Field Fairy intended to do, but he would not be surprised now at anything, so he began to pick some berries, for he had not had his breakfast, and now Brindle Cow was sure she was not going to the butcher. She, too, began to eat the sweet grass by the stream.

Jack thought she might speak again, and he patted her sides and nose, but the only answer Brindle Cow made was to rub her nose against him and moo.

After a while Jack heard someone calling his name, and running down the road. It was Nina. "Oh! I am so glad I have found you," she said. "Come quickly; something has happened to Simon."

Jack let Brindle Cow take care of herself and hurried after Nina, wondering what the fairy had done to Simon.

But it seemed that Simon had brought on his trouble himself by trying to get the berries that morning when Nina told him she needed more wood for the fire. Instead of giving her more wood he had poured on some oil and the flame had blazed up and burned him.

When Jack and Nina reached the farmhouse Simon was on the floor groaning with pain.

Forgetting all the unkindness they had received at his hands, Jack and Nina lifted him from the floor and placed him on his bed. Then they did all they could to relieve his sufferings.

Nina bathed his face and hands and Jack bandaged them, and by and by he fell asleep. When he awoke he asked for some gruel, and then he remembered Brindle Cow.

"Poor creature," said Simon. "I wish I had kept her, even if she was getting old; but it is too late now, for, of course, the butcher has her."

Just then "moo, moo," was heard outside, and for the first time since he left her at the stream Jack thought of Brindle Cow.

"Why, there she is now," he said. "I did not get to the butcher this morning because Nina called me before I had gone beyond the woods."

"I'll never sell her," said Simon. "Go out, Jack, and give her a good dinner, and tonight see that she has a nice bed of straw in the barn."

That day for dinner Simon told Nina to have a good meat stew and that Nina and Jack were to eat all they wanted.

JACK told Nina what had happened at the stream in the woods and asked her if she thought the fairy had anything to do with the accident that happened to Simon.

"Of course not," said Nina. "Fairies always do good, not bad things, and besides, Simon must have been burned at the very time you saw the fairy, and I wonder if you really did see a fairy after all. Are you sure you did not fall asleep and dream it all?"

Jack was quite sure he did not dream it, but never again did Brindle Cow speak. Least, Jack never heard her if she did.

But when Simon recovered from his burns and was quite well again something did happen, and whether the Field Fairy and Brindle Cow had anything to do with it Jack and Nina never knew.

Simon was a changed man, that was sure. He would not let Nina do the work any more, but sent both of the children to school. He fixed up the house and bought new furniture, and, best of all, he bought nice clothing for Jack and Nina.

"And if you don't mind," said Simon to Jack and Nina one day, "I wish you would call me Uncle Simon."

He even bought a nice horse and pretty willow carriage for the children to drive to school; in fact, everybody thought Simon must have lost his mind, he was so changed.

"It must be the work of the Field Fairy," said Jack, when he and Nina were talking over what the neighbors said about Simon. "She said she would change him into a kind and good man."

"Perhaps she came and found him burned and thought she would save him and see what happened to him," said Nina. "But I think you fell asleep that morning, Jack, while you were waiting for Brindle Cow to drink at the stream."

"Brindle Cow saw the fairy, didn't you, Brindle?" asked Jack, as Brindle Cow came up to the stone wall where Jack and Nina stood.

Brindle Cow looked over the wall, straight at Jack, and answered: "Moo-o-o-o."

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Fashion Brevities.

One side of a skirt may be very much draped and the other not at all.

A charming frock is of rose George and is sashed with brown velvet.

Rows of military braid form a high choker collar of a blue serge dress.

Three-inch buckles of gunmetal give a costume of serge a military effect.

Small flowers worked in colored beads are effective as millinery trimming.

Many black hats roll up in the back to display their white satin facing.

Pockets are shirred at the top, so as to appear very full.

Dark tailored dresses are relieved by colored silk piping.

Capes may have small fur-lined slits to act as armholes.

A striking scarf is of black tulle faced with metal tissue.

Tunics which drape in points at the side are very graceful.

Transparent material panels a heavy dress with much effect.

OUR PEACE ANGEL.



THE GILDED MAN

A Romance of the Andes

By CLIFFORD SMYTH

(Continued from yesterday.)

Chapter XVII (Continued.)

IT was idle to theorize, useless to harbor doubts that led nowhere. So, they wandered on, marvelling at the strangeness and the magnitude of this underground world, and yielding themselves, as familiarity disarmed their fears, to the charm of it all.

For there was beauty of a rare and thrilling quality in these majestic cliffs whose perfectly proportioned sides gleamed in all the variegations of color belonging to certain kinds of basalt. Displaying in its structure the forms peculiar to this rock, the admirable symmetry produced easily suggested the work of a human architect gifted in all the cunning of his art.

And now the widening space before them disclosed unmistakable signs of the human agency they had suspected.

They stood at the verge of a precipice. Below them stretched a wide and comparatively level plain, vaulted over by a crystalline canopy supported by innumerable clusters of slender columns, and sheltering low-roofed houses, or huts, collected together in the close companionship of a thriving little village. The familiar accompaniments of such a scene, supposing that it formed a part of some straggling, hospitable highway in the outer world, were there. At the doorways of the houses men and women stopped to talk; children played in the vacant spaces that served for yards and streets; even diminutive animals, that appeared in the distance to be near of kin to the sun-dogs of the Andes, were there. Along under their burrows of merchandise. The villagers were evidently of the same race as Antiope and his companions, dressed like them in white flowing togas, but lacking their indescribable charm and lordliness of bearing. Anywhere else they would have been taken for peasants, attired somewhat fantastically, engaged in the most primitive occupations. Here, remote from everything that moves under the sun, their very simplicity was cause for wonder, if not for fear.

diabolical plot in the whole affair, and her fears were shared by some of the others. Only Una would brook no delay.

"We want to get out of the cave," she said, addressing Narva. "We have lost the way—you will guide us."

"Something you do first," retorted Narva; "then you go free."

The suggestion that they were still, in a sense, prisoners, and that some kind of service was expected of them before they could regain their freedom, was not pleasant. What was it that they could do for so singular a person as this, who gave the impression of having planned to meet them in this very spot? Narva took a witch's privilege to speak in riddles. No amount of questioning could get her to explain what she meant. The answer to everything was always "follow me"—and as she pointed to the valley whenever she said this, they gathered that the direction they were expected to take was practically that which they had been pursuing ever since they left the Condor Gate. As this would inevitably bring them among the villagers, who they had just been told, were prepared to "kill them"—they could not understand Narva's plan at all. There being no choice left them, however, they yielded and went with her.

The path leading into the valley was abrupt and dangerous. Narva, striding ahead, was unimpeded by obstacles that left the others breathless and panic-stricken. They wanted to turn back before they had gone very far—but this would have been quite as difficult to accomplish as to go on.

At this point, apparently, the geo-

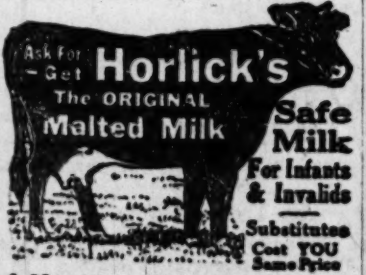
logical construction of the cave had undergone some radical changes. Convulsions, undoubtedly of volcanic origin, had rent the solid walls of granite in two, leaving irregular chasms, of uncertain depth, to be traversed before the smooth floor of the valley could be reached. These chasms where their width demanded it, were spanned by swaying bridges of rope—or liana—and wood that proved a sore trial to the weaker members of the party, delaying their progress to an extent that seriously strained Narva's patience. The old Indian was especially put out by Mrs. Quayle, whom she contemptuously called "baby," and whose pathetic helplessness astride a plank over a yawning cavern aroused in her the nearest approach to laughter she had shown.

Under Narva's guidance, however, the difficulties of the downward trail were overcome without mishap. The perilous abysses, once crossed, appeared not more than miniature dangers in retrospect; but immediately facing them, on this plain that, at a distance, had seemed so charming and pastoral in character, there was menace enough for the most daring. At first sight of the invaders, for so they were deemed, the villagers showed unmistakable hostility. Dropping their various occupations, with one accord, they confronted the explorers in so threatening a manner that the latter had either to defend themselves as best they might, or retreat. But the thought of those villainous chasms, spanned by filmy bridges of rope, was too appalling to offer the remotest hope of safety in flight. Anything would be better than a return—if return were even possible—over so hazardous a path.

"We fight!" announced Miranda through clenched teeth—and, retreating his lost revolver, he threw himself into the attitude as warlike as his round figure would permit.

THIS had anything but a quieting effect on the villagers. From every direction volunteers hastened to strengthen their line of battle, and it might have fared badly with the enterprising doctor, upon whom the explorers had reckoned, resembling a football rush was about to be launched, had it not been for the interference of Narva. The old Indian woman, scornful at first of the excited demonstration of the villagers, now took an active part in what was going on. Brushing Miranda aside, she checked the advancing mob with a torrent of angry words that sounded like the scolding lecture or an outraged school teacher bringing her refractory pupils to order. As she spoke in the native language of the Indians, what she said was totally unintelligible to those whom she was defending. But on the cavernous effect of her words was immediate. The shouts ceased, the hastily formed line of battle was broken. The angry villagers acknowledged Narva's authority by every sign of submission—sullenly given, it is true—and the way was clear and free for the "invader" to go on.

The singular episode impressed them deeply. They realized that



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they were surrounded by people who did not want them in this underground world of theirs, and that they were, at the same time, under the protection of a being who, mad or inspired, was powerful enough to stand between them and danger. Who she was or why she befriended them remained a mystery. On this point Narva was as uncommunicative as ever. On occasion, as they had just witnessed, she was capable of the volubility of a fishwife; with them her reserve was impregnable.

"Follow me!" she commanded—and there was nothing for it but to obey. Miranda, who was the immediate cause of the trouble, uttered maledictions on the fate that left him at the mercy of an eccentric beldame who might be leading them to some unthinkable witch's dance—and the rest exhorted him to curb his warlike propensities in the future.

Gliding ahead at a quicker pace than before, Narva led the way along the narrow path on each side of which stood the huts of the villagers. These huts were not more than 30 in number, built of the rough-hewn stone of the cave. Each, apparently, contained two or, in some cases three rooms on the ground floor. Roofs they had none, a deficiency in architecture evidently without inconvenience, since the great vaulted dome of the cave furnished them with whatever protection overhead was necessary. The whole series of little houses composing the village resembled one huge, hospitable communal dwelling, not unlike the ancient pueblo ruins of Arizona, in which there was the privacy desired by separate families, together with a close union of household interests that is scarcely possible in settlements where each group of individuals lives under its own roof-tree. As if further to preserve this communal manner of living, the openings into the huts were without doors, although, in a few instances, curtains of a heavy red material served as doors. These curtains were adorned with thin plates of gold, cut in primitive designs depicting various forms of animal life. The huts so marked the explorers took to be the dwellings either of village dignitaries, or buildings devoted to public use.

serve more than the barest outlines of this singular underground settlement, as the pace set by Narva left no time for loitering. But the explorers felt little desire to prolong their stay here, although they soon forgot their fears as they noted the

sullen deference with which their mysterious guide was everywhere greeted. The villagers retired before them into their various dwellings, and as the little company passed along the unobstructed street it welcomed with demonstrations of respect resembling the homage accorded some Eastern potentate who deigns to visit his subjects. The change was grateful to those who a moment ago had been the objects of popular disfavor, at the same time that it stimulated their curiosity regarding Narva. The latter paid no heed to her surroundings, but her progress was timed to the needs of those who followed her. An occasional backward glance gave proof that her interest in them, whether for good or ill, had not abated. Talk with her, however, was impossible; and thus the straggling little village, with its groups of obsequious Indians, was traversed in silence.

When the last hut had disappeared in the distance Narva turned abruptly. The path was again becoming precipitous, and although the mysterious light with which the cave was illumined revealed whatever obstacles were in the way, there were dark chasms in the overhanging cliffs that filled the timid with grim forebodings. Where they stood the ground was level, making a little platform, or square, three sides of which were unprotected by walls. On the fourth side an arched opening in the smooth face of a lofty tower of granite, glittering with countless facets of crystals, served as entrance to a spacious interior. Embazoned on the keystone of this arch was the same emblem that marked the cyclopean gateway to the inhabited portion of the cave—the rudely carved figure of a condor. Beneath this sculptured symbol Narva stood for a moment regarding the others with stern composure. Then she pointed to the shadowy depths within.

"Enter!" she commanded. (Copyright, 1918, by Post & Lippincott, Inc.) (To be Continued Monday.)

Shutting Him Off.

"WHY do women insist on wear-

ing?" "Stop," John interrupted the woman who is kind but firm. "I won't hear any criticism of my sex's apparel until you explain why so many men wear collars and suspenders in hot weather."—Washington Star.

An Eastern clergyman says kissing is a relic of the dark ages. However that may be, much of it is still done in the dark. —Toledo Blade.

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THE WEEKLY HEALTH TALK

Aids to Keeping Well in the Winter.

By DR. G. A. JORDAN,

Assistant City Health Commissioner.

KEEPING well is mainly a matter of good daily hygienic habits. It is necessary, however, to make special adjustments to very hot and very cold weather to avoid discomfort and disease.

The body is kept warm because the chemical changes constantly occurring within it cause heat. The greatest of these processes is oxidation, which is just like the burning of a fire, only much slower. Oxidation occurs more rapidly when the muscles are exercised; this is why we thrash our arms, stamp and run when we wish to get warm. It explains also why we shiver when we are cold, for the little muscles of the skin automatically contract many times a minute in their endeavor to warm the surface of the body. We must, therefore, exercise more when it is cold.

Cultivation of the body lengthens life, keeps the mind fresh and clear, lends delight and enthusiasm to every deed and thought, food tastes better, sleep is sounder—in short, every phase of life is brightened, strengthened and purified by a little thoughtful attention to the cultivation of good health. Physical efficiency is worth the effort, for mental efficiency is at a premium in every department of life and an unhealthy body is a serious bar to progress in physical and mental development.

The best foods for cold weather are the fatty meats and carbohydrates—that is, fat, food containing starch, sugar, etc., and which contain as thoroughly as possible in readily separated proportions; these are oxidized into water and carbonic acid gas without leaving much waste behind, and supply heat. Lean meats which contain substances called proteins, should be increased a little to replace worn-out tissues.

BUT food is of little use unless well digested, so in cold weather particular care should be exercised to eat slowly and to avoid constipation.

The use of alcohol is particularly dangerous in cold weather, for it brings the blood to the surface, making us feel warm for a while, but really chilling the blood much too fast and reducing the vitality.

If you are warm from work at the end of the day, wash with tepid water as thoroughly as possible; change the underclothes, and cool off before going out. This is very important, because a tired man takes cold easily; a warm bath followed by a cool sponge tones up the system and enables you to resist "catching cold."

Either heavy-soled shoes or rubbers should be worn to avoid wet feet. If the clothing is wet it should be changed at once and a brisk rub taken. With the surface of the body well trained, you need not pile on clothes to keep warm. Too much clothing, such as furs or rubber garments, lead often to overheating; a wrap thrown off the warm body, the skin is cooled too suddenly—and a chill results.

To sum up on how to keep well in winter:

1. Keep up the good daily hygienic habits.
2. Eat more fat and carbohydrate food and chew it well.
3. Exercise, but not to the point of fatigue.
4. Keep the digestion in order and avoid constipation.
5. Keep your feet dry.
6. Plenty of fresh air and a sunny disposition.

Jealous.

He: Doesn't Maud look like a peach tonight?
She: Yes, but she didn't get the bloom evenly distributed.—Boston Transcript.

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A Farewell Letter To the Kaiser From Every Woman

By Helen Rowland.

Kaiser Wilhelm. Somewhere-in-Europe. My dear Mr. Hohenzollern. As I write this little line, The flags are flying, and the bells are ringing Over Here—for Victory!

And I know just HOW you are feeling— But I want to thank you, while I think of it— And before it is "too late"— For all the things that you have done for me and EVERY WOMAN, In these four long years of toil and sacrifice and suffering—and regeneration.

(Oh, I know you didn't MEAN to do it! But never mind!) You have been the ALARM CLOCK, which awakened the world out of its lethargy. And we "love" you, as everyone loves an alarm clock!

I thank you For having given me back my faith in Humanity, and in the ultimate triumph of the good and the right, and human justice!

You have restored and strengthened my faith in Divinity, and in a Divine Providence, which allows NOTHING to happen in vain!

You have shown me, in all their fairest colors, The soul of the American MAN, and the spirit of American WOMANHOOD!

Into the dull round of my tight, little, commonplace life, you have sent tragedy and sorrow,

But WITH it a new and vital spark, a glorifying flame, Which has burned out all the old materialism and smug cynicism, And awakened all my dormant ideals, all my old romanticism, all my sleeping visions, of beauty and nobility and heroism!

You have aroused and strengthened my love of my Country, and stirred in me a glowing patriotism which shall never die!

You have starred my horizon with heroes, Until a dull world glitters with their deeds of valor, and shines in the reflection of their undying glory.

(And, to a woman, what is a world without heroes and hero-worship?) You have torn the veil of materialism from a commercial age.

And shown me that great souls, and great men, DO exist, And that "there are GIANTS," even in these days—great men, like Woodrow Wilson, and Lloyd George, and Clemenceau, and Foch, and Diaz!

But, best of all, you have stirred me out of my selfish lethargy, strengthened my brain and soul, and muscles, and taught me the usefulness of WOMAN!

You have given me a deep and vast respect for my own sex, And an admiration and respect for MEN, which nothing shall ever shake.

In short, you have made of me a NEW WOMAN, in a brand NEW WORLD!

A finer, stronger, wiser, sweeter, broader, tenderer, happier woman! Yes, YOU have done all this—unconsciously and quite unintentionally, of course—and you didn't MEAN to do it.

But, you see, it sometimes takes the greatest forces of EVIL, To awaken and stir up the greatest and most powerful forces for GOOD.

And so, to meet all the EVIL, which you started, All the BEST in all the hearts of men and women, all over the world Have ARISEN!

And "God is still in His Heaven," And Peace shall reign on all the earth—at last!

Thank you—and farewell! EVERY WOMAN.

When you purchase a gift frame cover it while new, with a coat of white varnish. All specs can then be easily washed off with water without harm to the frame.

The Prince of Rumania says he won't give up his wife for a throne. We should think not; we wouldn't give a last year's hat for a throne nowadays.—Detroit Free Press.

Church Announcements

Your index to tomorrow's services at the leading churches of St. Louis

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Subject of the lesson at each church. "Moralis and Immortal Golden Text, Ephesians 2: 4-5. Westminster Pl. 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. Reading room, 4282 Delmar bl., open daily from 9 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. Sunday afternoon, 2 to 5. Second Church, 4234 Washington bl., 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Fourth Church, 5554 Russell bl., 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Fifth Church, Oakman's Hall, 5121 S. Grand av., 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Reading room same location. Open daily 12 to 2 p. m. Sunday and all holidays, 2 to 5 p. m. Sixth Church, 4234 Washington bl., 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Natural Bridge av., 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. Wednesday evening meeting at all the churches at 8 o'clock. Downtown reading room, Suite 1005 Railway Exchange Bldg. Open daily except Sundays and holidays. All are welcome.

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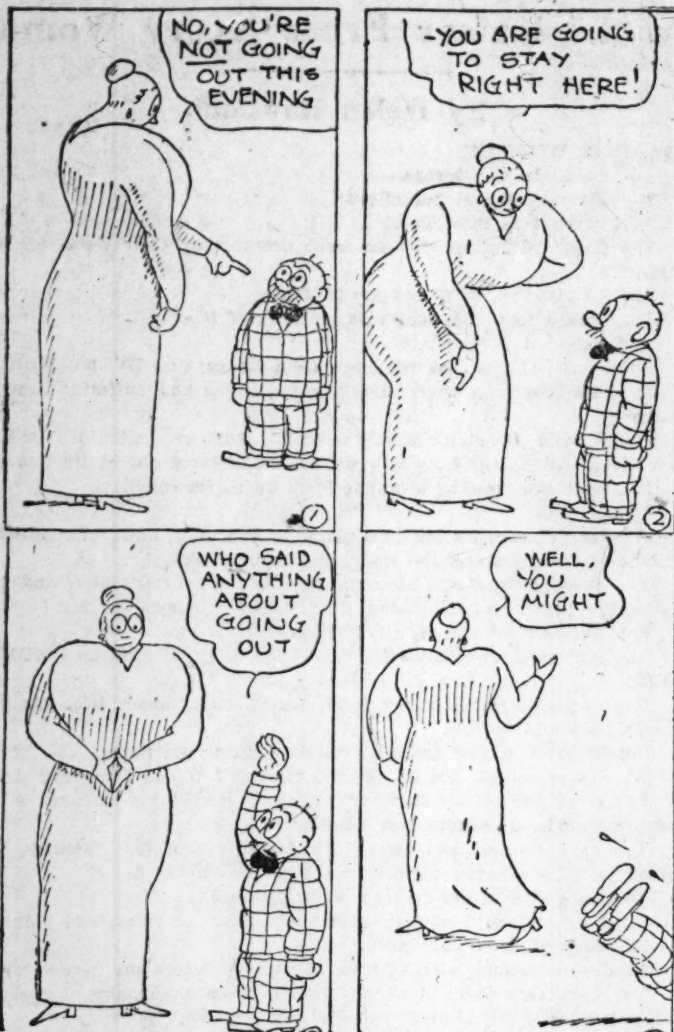
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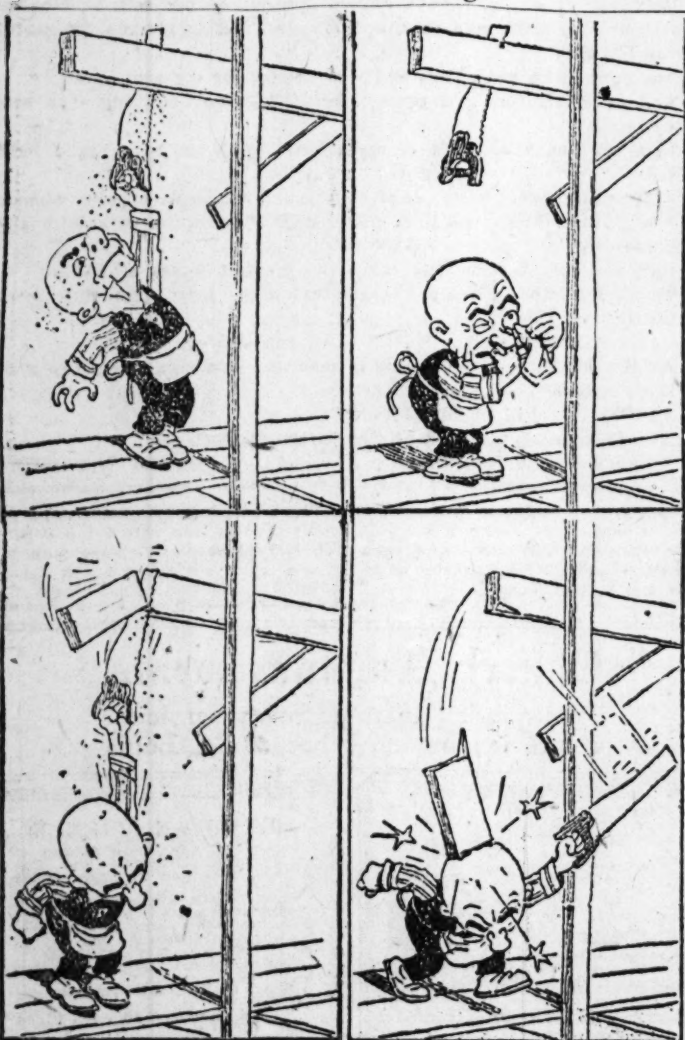
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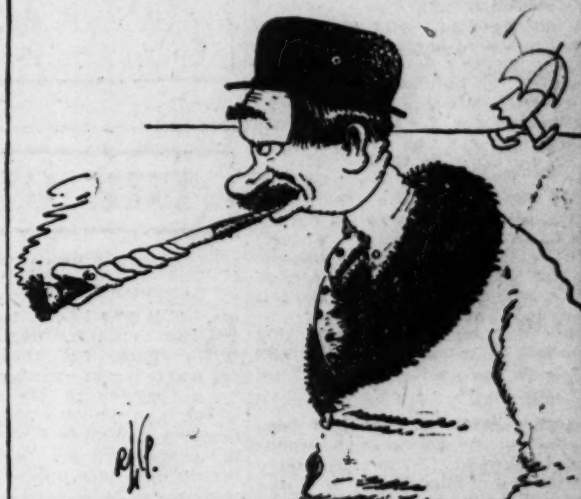


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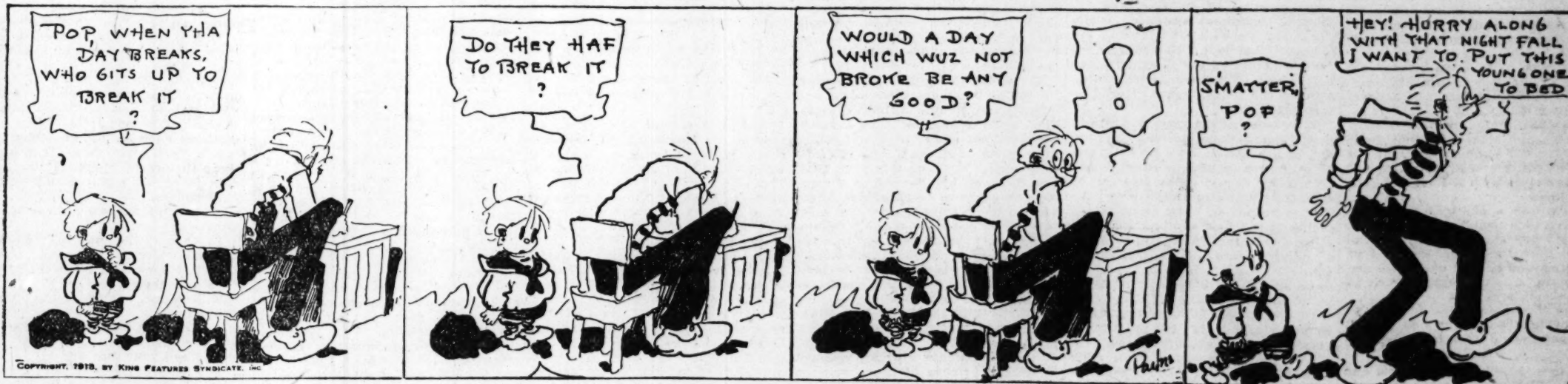


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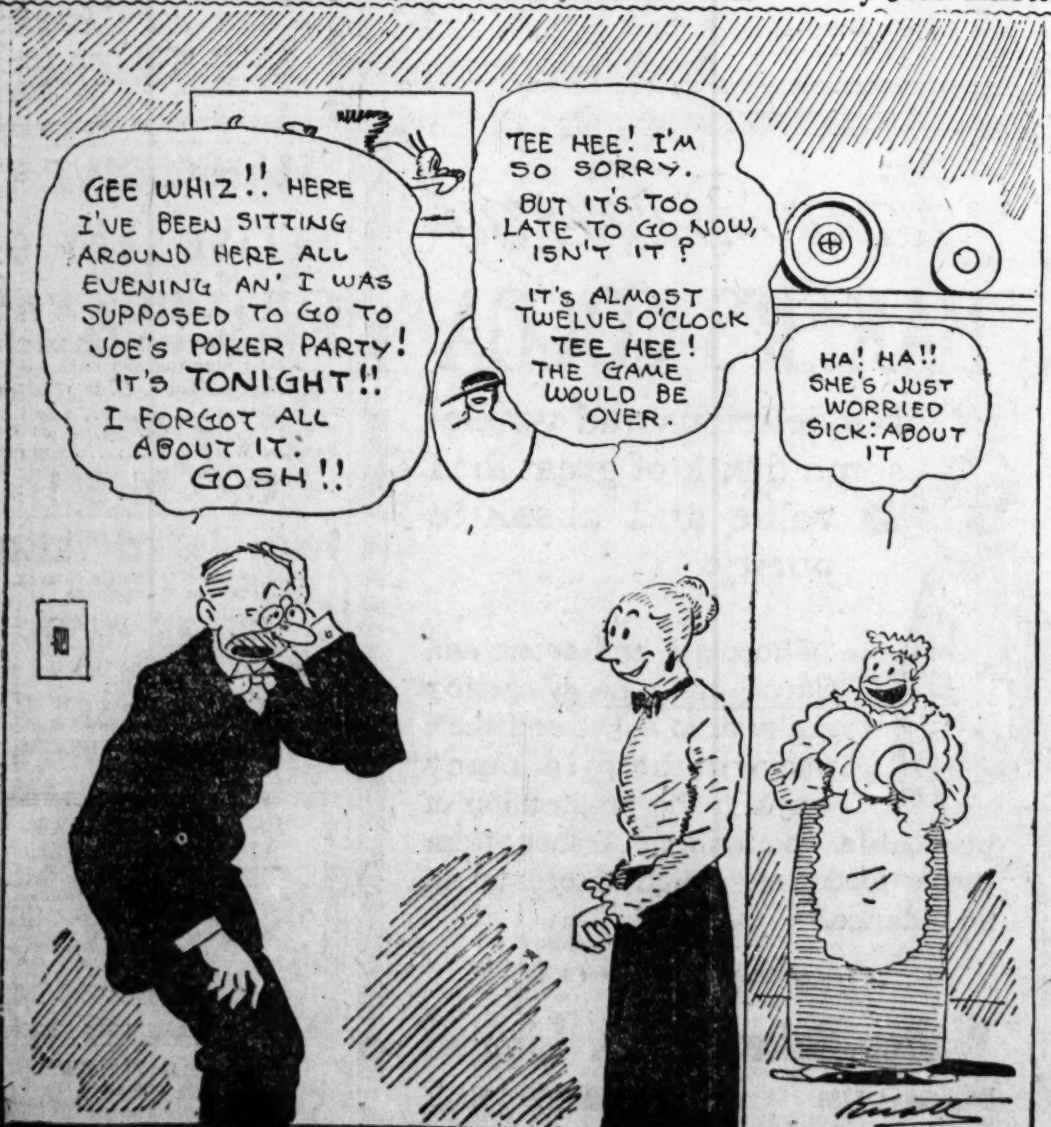


"SAY, POP!"—YES, DAY BREAKS BECAUSE NIGHT FALLS.—By PAYNE.



PENNY ANTE—Sympathy From the Wife.

By Jean Knott



Where the Kick Came In.

FLATBUSH: What's your favorite drink?
Benshurst: Why, milk.
"That's pretty weak for a man."
"Oh, well, I like a drink with a 'kick' in it."
"But, say, there's no 'kick' in milk."
"Isn't there? I guess you never tried to get any out of a cow."
Yonkers Statesman.

Dead Sure.

IN the present war a French soldier had a big German corner, and was going to shoot him. The German said: "Kamerad! Kamerad! I have a wife and 11 children at home." The Frenchman said: "That's not so. You have a widow and 11 orphans."
Boys' Life.

Where It Belonged.

WHILE traveling through Ohio a few years ago Prof. T. C. Mendenhall of the Worcester Institute consented to address a few remarks to the pupils of the district school that he had attended when a boy.
"Did any of you," he asked, "ever see an elephant skin?"
A boy held up his hand and wriggled excitedly.
"Well," said the professor, "I have," said the boy.
"Where did you see it?"
"On an elephant."—Woman's Home Companion.

Followed His Lead.

THE Colonel was known to be of very choleric and uncertain temper, and Augustus was extremely nervous when invited to dine at the old boy's rooms. He determined, however, to be prepared to meet any situation tactfully. The sitting room was on the first floor and, sure enough, when it came to carving the roast, a blunt knife upset the Colonel's equilibrium. He strode to the door and flung the knife downstairs after the servant. Augustus, with great presence of mind, seized the roast and threw that down, too.
"What the deuce do you mean by that?" spluttered the old boy as soon as he was able to speak.
"I'm very sorry, sir," said Augustus coolly. "I—er—I fancied you were going to dine downstairs."—Chicago News.

Houston Is Dry.

THE outside papers are joshing us about the dampness created by the Court of Appeals. It is so dry in Houston that when the washerwoman lifts a shirt from the sudsy she has to dust it off before ironing it.—Houston Post.

New Game for Children.

IF you want something to keep the children busy during the long winter evenings get them a puzzle map of Austria-Hungary and see if they can put it together again.—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

An Opening Necessary.

"Is your new teapot solid silver."
"Of course not. If it was solid, how could I put tea in it?"

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His Natural Role.

A NERVOUS old beau entered a costumer's and said:
"I want a little help in the way of a suggestion. I am going to the French student's masquerade ball tonight, and I want a distinctly original costume—something I can be quite sure no one else will wear. What can you suggest?"
The costumer looked him over attentively, bestowing special notice on his gleaming, bald and shining head.
"Well, I'll tell you," he said, thoughtfully, "why don't you sugar your head and go as a pill?"—Harper's Magazine.

One Thing Left.

OPTIMIST: Well, there's one thing the war hasn't affected.
Pessimist: What is it?
Optimist: There are still plenty of worms to go fishing.—Boston Globe.

The Trouble With Them.

Box: It is said that "we shall pass away as a tale that is told."
Dix: But tales that are told don't pass away; they are forever being told over again.—Boston Transcript.

Fortify Yourself Against Epidemics

Disease germs have a hard job when they tackle a sound body. Epidemics of Influenza, Grippe, etc. pass by people who keep themselves in good condition. Exercise, fresh air, sleep and wholesome food are the best promoters of good health. Sound bodies rarely suffer from colds, but bodies ravaged by colds are easy prey for all manner of serious diseases and the first to be attacked when there is an epidemic. Kill the cold at the first sign. A chill or a sneeze is the danger signal. Take



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Sayings of the Dethroned Kaiser, Supporting His Claim to Rule by Divine Authority

WHEN the abdication of Wilhelm II, Emperor of the Germans was forced a week ago yesterday at German Great Headquarters at Spa, Belgium, it marked the passing of the last of the rulers of earth's civilized and modernized peoples who claim to rule by divine right. Other kings are such, "by the grace of God" but that is a far different thing. All these rule solely by the authority of the people over whom they preside and not one of them would venture to claim to hold his position by divine right. But the Kaiser not only ardently believed that he was especially constituted by God to rule over the German people, but he vigorously expressed himself to this effect on every possible occasion. Whatever monarchs have thought of themselves in modern times, none, since medieval days, has talked as Emperor Wilhelm has. Some of his expressions, showing his belief in his divinely appointed position and the amazing egotism of his character which led to the sincere conviction that the world revolved around him as its center are presented herewith:

At Koenigsberg, in 1913: "Here my grandfather placed, by his own right, the crown of the Kings of Prussia on his head, once again laying stress upon the fact that it was conferred upon him by the grace of God alone, not by Parliament, by meetings of the people, or by popular decisions; and that he considered himself the chosen instrument of heaven, and as such performed his duties as regent and as ruler. Considering myself as an instrument of the Lord, without being misled by the views and opinions of the day, I go my way, which is devoted solely and alone to the prosperity and peaceful development of our fatherland."

At Wurzburg, 1897: "My grandfather went forth from Coblenz to mount the throne as the chosen instrument of the Lord and as such he regarded himself. For all of us, and more especially for us Princes, he raised it once more on high, crowning it with the bright rays of the treasure, which may we ever preserve in its sublimity and holiness, I mean the kingdom, by the peace of God, the kingdom with its heavy duties, its never-ending, ever-enduring toils of labor, with its awful responsibility to the Creator alone, from which no man, no Minister, or House of Parliament, no people can release the Prince."

In a public address in 1914, before the beginning of the war, he said, referring to the Socialists, who are now in charge of the provisional Government:

"There is only one master in Germany and that is I. I shall tolerate no other. There is only one law—my word."

At Bremen in 1905:

"The World Empire of my dreams will include those who extend to the newly built German Empire the most complete confidence that could be placed in a peaceful and honest neighbor. If history should mention a German World Power of a Hohenzollern omnipotence, we do not wish it to be said that it was obtained by the point of the sword, but by the mutual confidence of nations striving toward the same ideal, to describe which we may use the words of a great poet: 'Outwardly limited, inwardly unlimited.'"

To the Unspeakable Sultan Abdul Hamid of Turkey, who had just escaped assassination, and whose hands and soul were red with the blood of Christian victims, he, the head of an enlightened Christian nation, had the audacity to send this message, expressing the hope that God would "continue to hold you in His holy keeping": "It is with deep emotion that I have just learned what danger your majesty was in at the time of the feast of Balaam and how manifestly God has protected your majesty's precious life. In offering my sincerest congratulations on your majesty's escape from danger, I cannot conceal my admiration for the attitude your majesty observed and the example of bravery given by your majesty to your subjects and to the foreigners present. I pray to the Lord to continue to hold your majesty in His gracious and holy keeping."

Of America, he said to Ambassador Gerard just before we broke with his Government:

"America had better look out after the war. I shall stand no nonsense from the Americans. My destructive sword has crushed the Russians. In a short while I will announce new victories. The war drama now is coming to its close. In a just cause I am ready to force myself to be cruel."

In a letter to Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg in 1916, he wrote apropos of his "offer" of peace to the allies:

"I have since been turning over our conversation thoroughly in my mind. It is clear that the peoples of the enemy countries, who are kept in hard endurance of the war by lies and frauds and deluded by fighting and hatred, possess no men who are able or who have the moral courage to speak the word which will bring relief—to propose peace. What is wanted is a moral deed to free the

world, including neutrals, from the pressure which weighs upon us all. For such a deed it is necessary to find a ruler who has a conscience, who feels that he is responsible to God, who has a heart for his own people and for those who are his enemies, who is indifferent to any possible willful misinterpretation of his act, and possesses the will to free the world from its sufferings. I have the courage. Trusting in God, I shall dare to take this step. Please draft notes on these lines and submit them to me, and make all necessary arrangements without delay."

In an order of June, 1917, to his troops, he wrote:

"I am especially delighted to be able once more to congratulate the well-tried Dragon Regiment of Bayreuth, of Hohenfriedberg fame. When, in the late summer of 1916, I sent the Borecki Squadron to Rumania, I gave it on the way my order to maintain at all costs the old tradition wherever it might be and to gain fresh laurels if possible. The regiment fulfilled the expectations of its supreme war lord and accomplished deeds which will please 'Old Fritz' up there in the Elysian Fields. May it keep this up. We shall not let loose our hold until a happy peace is gained."

In response to messages congratulating him on the thirtieth anniversary of his accession to the throne, he telegraphed to Chancellor Hertling:

"I express cordial thanks and kind good wishes to your excellency and the State Ministry on the day on which, 30 years ago, I ascended the throne. When I celebrated my 25-year jubilee as ruler I was able with special gratitude to point out that I had been able to do my work as a prince of peace. Since, the world has changed. For the nearly four years, forced to it by my enemies, we have been engaged in the hardest struggle history records. God, the Lord, has laid a heavy burden upon my shoulders, but I carry it in the consciousness of our good right, with confidence in our ship, our sword and our strength, and in the realization that I have the good fortune to stand at the head of the most capable people on earth. Just as our arms under strong leadership have proved themselves invincible, so also will the homeland, exerting all its strength, bear with strong will the sufferings and privations which just now are keenly felt. Thus, I have spent this day amidst my armies and it moved me to the depth of my heart, yet filled with the most profound gratitude to God's mercy. I know that Prussian militarism, so much abused by our enemies, which my forefathers and I, in a spirit of dutifulness, loyalty, order and obedience, have nurtured, has given Germany's sword and the German nation strength to triumph, and that victory will bring a peace which will guarantee the German life. It will then be my sacred duty, as well as that of the states, with all our power to see to the healing of the wounds caused by the war and to secure a happy future for the nation. In most faithful recognition of the work hitherto performed, I rely on your approved strength and the help of the State Ministry. God bless our land and people."

To the Prussian Cabinet in October, 1915: "My warmest thanks to the Ministry of State for its inspiring words by which it renewed on the day of the 500th anniversary of the reign of my house over Brandenburg its vow of loyalty. In reviewing half a thousand years of Brandenburg-Prussian history, God's guidance appears to have been wonderful. Across the depths and the heights my house has been raised from the electoral hat to the imperial crown and from a small mark to the center of the German Empire, whose strength and power have been so brilliantly proved to friend and foe in the present war of the nations, the greatest of all times. With full humility, I acknowledge, together with the German people, that thus far the Lord has helped us. May He henceforth graciously assist us and guide the German people who stand together, united and imperturbable, ready for all sacrifices, through the dark days of severe affliction to the bright sunlight of peace; to new and vigorous work; to the road marked out by Divine Providence."

THE LAST BATTLE OF THE WAR—SUPREME VICTORY

Frank H. Simonds Analyzes Strategy of Marshal Foch That

Overwhelmed Germans and Smashed All Their Defense Lines

How the Allied Chieftain Kept the Whole Enemy Line Rocking and Its Various Armies Groggy by Quick, Heavy Blows at All Its Vulnerable Points Until the Defense System Collapsed.

By FRANK H. SIMONDS,
The Post-Dispatch's Military Critic and
Author of "The Great War" and "They
Shall Not Pass."

THE decisive phase of the last battle of the world war opened on Oct. 8, when Foch threw three British armies against the Hindenburg line between St. Quentin and Cambrai. Exactly five weeks later Germany abandoned the war, her power for resistance broken, her armies forced from the last organized system of defenses, the allied armies in Belgium territory all the way from Sedan to Ghent.

In all military history no more swift and complete overthrow of a military nation is recorded, save in the case of Prussia, after Jena; and Waterloo overthrew Napoleon, but not France. But Germany fell even more promptly than her army. To complete the narrative of military events in these articles, it is now necessary to recount the circumstances of the final battle.

When in the opening days of September Ludendorff, retiring from his defeats at the Marne in July and at the Somme in August, arrived at the Hindenburg line, he took his position in the most intricate and elaborate system of defensive works ever fashioned by the ingenuity of man. He believed them to be impregnable, but whatever doubt may have existed in any German mind as to the capacity of the defense system for permanent resistance, nothing seemed less likely than that, in the 10 weeks of campaigning weather which remained, Foch could force or turn these works.

In the present article I purpose in some detail to describe this German defense system, the result of four years of labor, manned by more than 1,500,000 veteran troops, provided with every known contrivance of war, fashioned on the experience of the greatest contest in human history, the line, or series of lines, which was shattered between Sept. 26, when Foch opened the battle by throwing Pershing's troops in north of Verdun, and the first days of November, when the British success at Valenciennes penetrated the last detail of the final line of defense in France.

Foch's Problem in September.

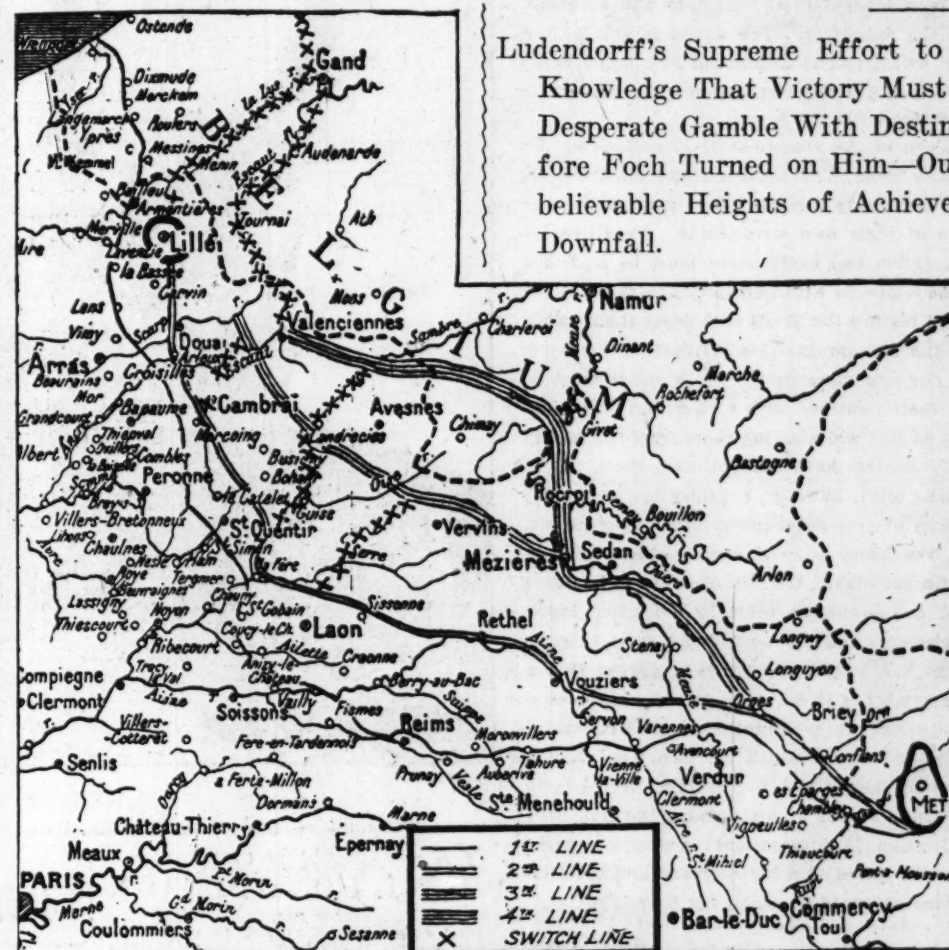
As Foch faced the problem in September it was this: From the Belgian coast at Nieuport to the Swiss frontier there existed a continuous line of defenses which corresponded in the main to the lines to which the Germans had retired in 1917, and from which they had started on their colossal sorties in March of the present year. On this extent of front only that portion west of Metz needs description now, since, aside from the brief preliminary operation at St. Mihiel, it was not affected by the September and October operations.

This line of fortifications which the allies faced was the first of four separate lines constituting the major circumstances of German defense. But between these four lines, stretching in the main from west to east, were a number of other lines running north and south, dividing the front into compartments comparable in all respects to the water-tight compartments of a steamer and having the same purpose. Thus, if the first or second line were penetrated in some sectors the dislocation would not communicate itself on either side, because it was localized by the north and south trench system and by the rearward parallel lines.

The salient features of these defense systems were the fortified areas about Lille and Metz. These were the anchorages which held the great cable-like trench systems stretched across from Flanders to German Lorraine. All four of the systems rested upon the Metz circle of forts, all four, at their other extremity, rested upon Lille; but there was this difference, that, while the fall of Metz would have been fatal to all four lines, the third and fourth lines on their western end touched the Scheldt River and were thus still tenable after Lille had fallen.

The Famous Hindenburg Line.

The first of the four systems or lines which we have come to call the Hindenburg line began just north of Nieuport, on the North Sea, followed the line facing Paschendaele Ridge, which the Germans had defended last year, circled about Lille, came south before La Bassée, through Lens, before Douai, Cambrai, through St. Quentin, followed the east bank of the Oise to La Fere, crossed the St. Gobain Forest, which acted as a sort of central bastion, turned east above Soissons, followed the old Chemin des Dames works, in-



The Various German Defense Lines that Failed to Hold.

cluding the forts north of Rheims, crossed the plain of Champagne and the Argonne Forest to reach the Meuse just north of Verdun, and, circling about the familiar lines of that fort, reached the Moselle south of the outer line of Metz forts. This system was by all odds the strongest of the four. From La Bassée southward it was not a line but a zone, 12 miles deep, organized in the most elaborate conceivable fashion, following a number of canals and rivers, thus gaining the inestimable advantage of a water barrier, limiting the peril from tanks. This deep zone extended to the Oise south of St. Quentin and thence to the Aisne above Soissons, the Aisne and the St. Gobain Forest supplying obstacles which were impregnable to direct attack.

Behind this first line the second ran, at a distance so small in many instances as to make it indistinguishable from the first. It stretched from Lille behind La Bassée and Lens, before Douai, behind Cambrai and St. Quentin, burrowed the Oise track as far as La Fere, but then ran east, north of Laon, behind the Serre and the Sissonne Canal, reaching the Aisne at Chateau Porcain and following its north bank around to Vouziers, whence it cut across the upper end of the Argonne to the Meuse above Dun; east of the Meuse it rejoined the Metz defenses, passing by Etain and Conflans.

The third line also rested upon Lille, followed the Douai Canal southward through Douai and thence followed the Scarpe to the Scheldt. Between the Scheldt and the Sambre it rested upon the Escaillon River and the Mormal Forest. From the Sambre near Landreches it crossed via Hirson to the Meuse at Mezieres, followed the east bank of that stream to Sedan, which was covered by defenses on the west bank, and then ran along the valley of the Chiers, through Montmedy, to the Metz system near Conflans. But this third line rested upon the Scheldt River, south of Valenciennes, and was thus serviceable from the Scheldt to Metz, even if Lille were taken.

Water Barrier for Two Lines.

The fourth system ran due east from Valenciennes, through Maubeuge to the Meuse at Givet, thence behind the Meuse to a point of juncture with the third line at Mezieres; thence eastward it coincided with the third line. Like the third line, it was serviceable after the fall of Lille. Thus in the case of both the third and fourth lines, two-thirds of their extent were covered by the water barriers of the Scheldt and the Meuse Rivers.

So much for the four lines. They were divided into compartments by the following north and south systems: From Lille, a line followed the east bank of the Lys and the Lys Canal to the Dutch frontier. This made it possible to hold all four of the east and west lines from Lille eastward, even if the British and Belgians should break through between the Lys and the sea and the Ypres area. A second line followed the east bank of the Scheldt and served the same purpose if, after forcing the front between the sea and the Lys, the enemy should cross the Lys.

A third switch line followed the east bank of the Oise, the Sambre-Oise Canal and the Sambre River, thus enabling the central sections of the German front in France to hold on, even

Ludendorff's Supreme Effort to Capture Paris Was Prompted by a Knowledge That Victory Must Be Won Quickly, If at All, and, in His Desperate Gamble With Destiny, He Used Up All His Reserves Before Foch Turned on Him—Our Young American Army Rose to Unbelievable Heights of Achievement in Accomplishing the Enemy's Downfall.

growing pressure of the British frontal attack nearer the center.

On Oct. 8, which was the decisive day, Foch threw three British armies against the stretch of the Hindenburg line between Cambrai and St. Quentin. In the next three days they drove right through the line, cut the second line behind it, between the Oise and the Scheldt, and advanced until they had reached the third line between the Scheldt and the Sambre, just south of Valenciennes.

While this great drive was going forward, Foch redoubled his activities both in Flanders and in Champagne. In Flanders the British and the Belgians, reinforced by a French army, broke through the last line of German defenses between the sea and the Lys and began to swing round north of Lille and threaten the crossings of the Lys, which constituted the third German line. In Champagne Berthelot and Gouraud struck north, one reaching the Aisne, south of Reims, the other clearing the hills north of Rheims and crossing the Aisne east of Laon. This movement compelled the retirement of the German out of all his first line between the Oise and the Aisne, including St. Gobain Forest and the city of Laon.

Forced Back to Lost Line.

About the middle of October, then, the German position was this: His first and second lines were gone between the Lys and the sea and his third line was going rapidly, as the British were astride the Lys north of Lille. This doomed one of the two great anchorages of his defense system. He was now bound to retire to his last line, that of the Scheldt, all the way from the Dutch frontier near Ghent to the point where the Escaillon River falls into the Scheldt, south of Valenciennes. From this point he could still use his third line between the Scheldt and the Sambre Canal. East of the Sambre Canal he could use his second line all the way. So far his switch line had aided him in localizing the disaster.

We had, then, in the third week of October, the rapid retreat of the Germans behind the Scheldt, with the evacuation of the Belgian coast, of the cities of Lille, Roubaix, Tourcoing, Douai. After this, the line tended to stabilize itself with the Americans still fighting doggedly toward the second line between the Meuse and the Argonne, Gouraud held up west of the Americans and south of the Aisne, Berthelot's army, now commanded by Guilleminot, checked before the Soissons drainage canal, Mangin's army unable to get across the Serre and Debener's army still halted on the west bank of the Oise.

To the north the main British forces—the armies of Rawlinson, Horne and Byng—steadily fought their way through the third German line between the Scheldt and the Sambre, getting clear through by the beginning of the fourth week of October. They had now before them only the fourth line, that starting at the Scheldt and crossing to the Sambre by Valenciennes and Maubeuge. At this moment Debener forced the Oise and pushed eastward, driving the Germans out of the region between the Oise and the Serre. But the effect of this thrust was limited, again, by the switch line stretching from the second German position on the Serre to the third line at Hirson.

Switch Line Still Saved Enemy.

Just before the end of October, then, we had this situation: From the Dutch frontier right down to Valenciennes the German was in his last line. Between the Scheldt and Sambre he held some elements of his third line; east of the Sambre he held his third line intact to a point of intersection with the Serre line, which connected him with his second line, which was intact all the way from the Serre to Metz. It was, moreover, essential for him to hold this line as long as possible, because it covered the Metz-Meuse-Maubeuge railroad, the only double-track line of lateral communication left to him and the vital line for evacuating material and supplies, now that he was forced to quit Belgium.

But on Nov. 1 the Canadians, operating with the British First Army, took Valenciennes, thus breaking through the fourth German line at the point where it touched the Scheldt, while the Americans drove through the second German line between the Meuse and the Argonne. The consequences of this double disaster were patent. The whole line of the Scheldt could now be held for only a brief period of time, by making use of natural obstacles like the Mons Canal, which enters the Scheldt between Tournai and Valenciennes.

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JOSEPH PULITZER.

April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

An Estimate of President Wilson.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Many men in public life have a way of getting themselves into trouble every time that they open their mouths. But President Wilson seems to possess the rare faculty of further endearing himself with the people every time he makes a public address. In one of his recent speeches he says, "Through many, many channels I have been made aware what the plain struggling, work-a-day folk are thinking upon whom the chief terror and suffering of this tragic war falls." He feels the heart throbs of the great struggling world and understands the high farmed aspirations, hopes and longings which they portend; the thought of the mass of humanity crystallizes in his mind and finds expression.

The record of President Wilson's first administration when this country was at peace with the world was a notable one, and since the United States entered the World War under his leadership, he has injected a new idealism into that terrible struggle by his expositions of America's objects and purposes, combining as he does a prophetic vision with executive ability of the highest order. I believe that the goal which he has pointed to as being the ideal one to strive for at the conclusion of the war; that is, justice for all nations great and small with a league of nations to perpetuate peace and justice in the world will be attained with the aid of his influence.

The world generally leaves it to posterity to eulogize a man and fix his place in history, but I for one, think that it is a conservative prediction to say that Woodrow Wilson will one day be classed among the great benefactors of men in the history of the world.

JAMES R. PRATT.

Voters Were Dissatisfied.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

A number of reasons have been advanced as to the cause of the Democratic defeat. Very few people can say that the war policy of the President has not been productive of great results, and the achievement speaks for itself, but our own country has suffered more on account of high prices of food, fuel and clothing. Everyone has been complaining of the methods of speculators taking advantage of war conditions to fleece the people. It is the European that do the voting, not the Europeans.

WALTER REYNOLDS.

"Back Up the Boys."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The drive of the allied organizations: Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Salvation Army, Jewish Welfare Board, American Library Association and the War Camp Activities, to raise a fund of \$170,000,000 is now being undertaken. These organizations are untiringly working for the happiness and welfare of the men and their families. It is possible to get the best of the war through the work that has been accomplished by the organizations mentioned. The work that is being carried on requires funds and the philanthropy of the people at home must supply these funds.

Now that the fighting has ceased and the victory is ours, months of waiting are ahead of the men before they can be relieved from the service. Something must be done to keep the men contented. These allied organizations are capable of furnishing the source of contentment but require the financial assistance that is necessary to carry on. The Liberty loans were all oversubscribed; the Red Cross was assisted in a splendid manner; War Savings Stamps have been purchased in enormous amounts. With the war at an end, the work of the allied organizations must continue with a zeal as great—if not greater—than it has been. The people at home cannot fail to come forward with their money as liberally now as they have done on other occasions when appeal has been made "to back up the boys."

Are the men who have been victors in the great fight for Democracy worthy of the recreation that is furnished them through these allied organizations?

BERTOT, SIDNEY W. RING,
Quartermaster Corps, Camp Funston,
Kan.

A Hero's Mother.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Monday night when a crowd of wildly happy people waving flags and cheering neared the home of one of our fallen heroes, Robert Shaw of the 138th, each felt in his heart a great sorrow for the family whose loss was brought home so forcibly. But when the mother came out and smiling through her tears waved her black shawl above her head, all stopped and cheered. Then I knew why she had raised a hero, and I felt that the spirit of her boy led that shouting throng and was proud of his brave mother.

LINDENWOOD MOTHER.

JUSTICE TEMPERED WITH MERCY.

The time when Germany will be reprovoked and enjoy peace depends upon the Germans themselves. The President's reply to the appeal for food and a modification of the terms requiring the turning over of a large part of the German rolling stock to the allies assured the German provisional Government that the food needs of Germany would be provided as soon as order was established and proper distribution could be guaranteed.

It is desirable that the peace conference be hastened in order that the work of reconstructing central and eastern Europe may be undertaken with a full understanding of the conditions of settlement. Until these are known there will be uncertainty and unrest.

Germany will not suffer starvation and all her efforts towards the organization of orderly democratic government under law will receive the aid and encouragement of the United States and our war associates. The German people will be helped, not crushed. They are not dealing with an inhuman militarism, with states organized for ruthless conquest and exploitation, which sacrificed the conquered to the military and economic interests of the conqueror. The Germans are dealing with nations which fought militarism and imperialism in defense of free, humane civilization and they will be true to their standards.

Justice is one of the fundamental conditions of the peace we have won. The Germans and all their defeated allies shall have justice. They must suffer the consequences of their own wrongdoing. Penalties for wanton devastation and exploitation must be paid, but justice will be tempered with humanity and mercy. The Germans must remove the bonds that fetter their understanding of the free, progressive civilization we represent and of the new morality by which states must be governed in their relations with each other. We shall help them to do this while saving them from the misery their military masters have brought upon them.

The Germans must, however, organize law and order under the form of free government which they choose. Fortunately, the latest news is encouraging. The soldiers in Berlin have taken the side of order. They have insisted that a government must be organized representing all elements and parties and not alone extreme Socialists who had seized power. It is agreed that a constituent assembly is to be called to name a constitution. Other German states are taking similar action.

The one thing towards which all men who cherish the principles of justice and liberty must strive is to preserve the fruits of war by maintaining the standards of free civilization in international dealings. State morality must be raised to a higher plane and the relations of nations governed by right, not by might.

If any King in all Europe, aside from Albert of Belgium, feels secure in his job, who is he?

GOOD FOR VON HINDENBURG.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg's message to the German army on the surrender to the allies is highly creditable to him. Telling the soldiers the reasons that made the continuance of the war of Germany impossible and of the heavy task that confronts the German people he added "you will never be abandoned by your Field Marshal in the struggle. He will be ever confident in you."

There spoke a man. We do not like Von Hindenburg's militarism, or his political principles, or his methods, but he has the sturdy stuff of courageous manhood—he is not a quitter. If the old Field Marshal would lay aside his militaristic and imperialistic principles and join heartily in the effort to restore order and organize a democratic government, he might be a potent influence in the reconstruction of Germany. Let us hope.

We may now settle down to deciding that all-important question of whether "everybody will be wearing wrist watches when the soldiers come home."

ONE OF THE GALLANT LITTLE COUNTRIES.

Wherever gallantry and devoted sacrifice to an ideal find appreciation, the war record of Canada will always command admiration. Its population is 7,206,643, less than that of Belgium or Rumania and a little more than that of Portugal. Its total losses of 211,358 men tell the story of what it did to bring victory. This, in round numbers, is almost one-half of all the men the Dominions sent to the war. It had 34,877 men killed in action and 15,459 die of wounds, a total of 50,336. Our own dead from all causes, including those lost at sea, number 24,923, as reported up to this time. Canada's wounded are 152,779. Our total losses are 71,679, as compared with Canada's 211,358.

Reconstruction in Canada has as serious phases as in any country affected by the war. It is almost denuded of its men. Virtually one out of every 18 of its male population of all ages has been killed or wounded. At the same ratio our losses would reach 3,165,000, instead of 71,679.

Maybe Wilhelm can teach those Holland windmills how to circulate hot air.

ARKANSAS SUGAR FOR SOLDIERS.

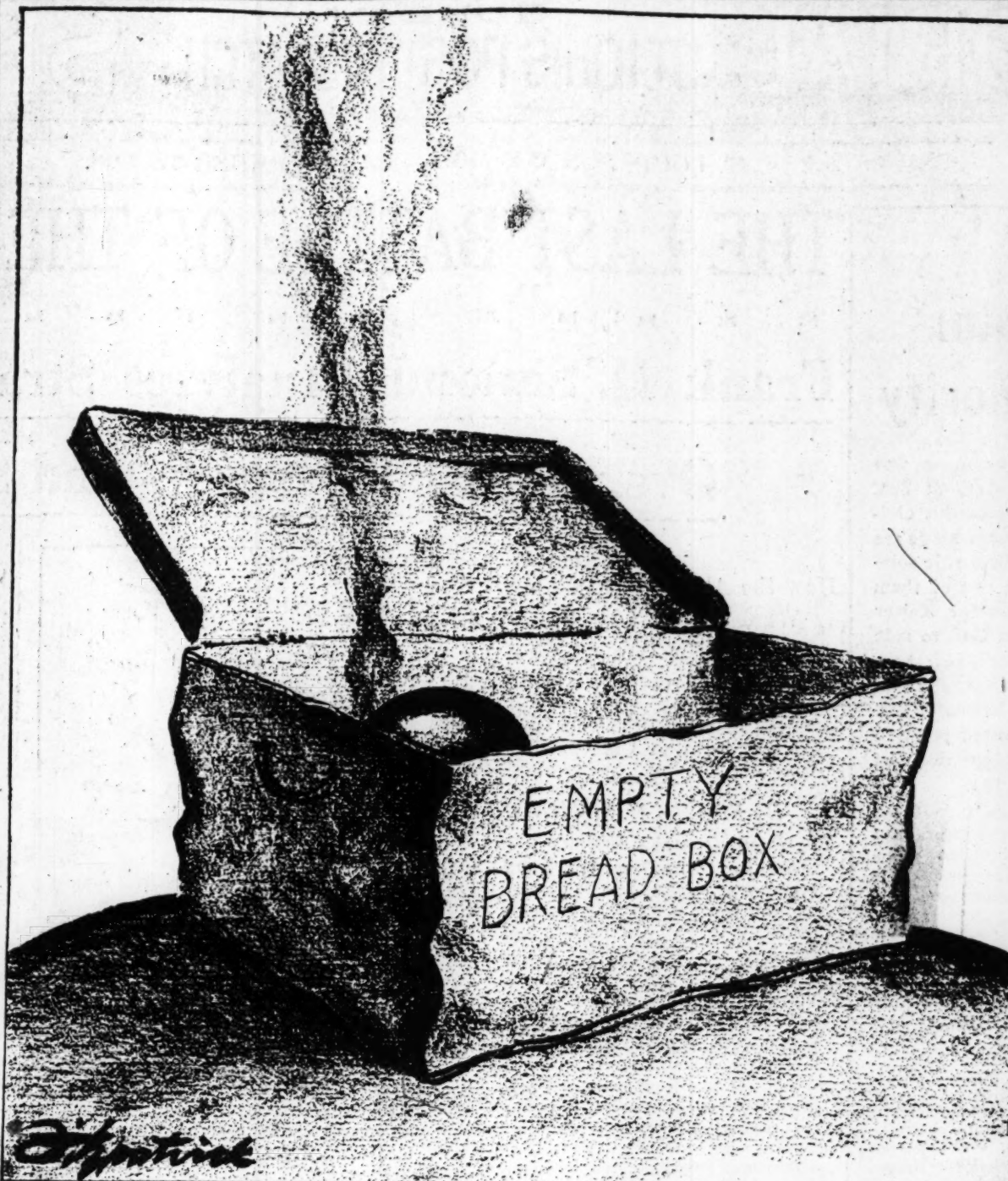
Gen. Pershing has cabled his thanks to Hamp Williams, Food Administrator of Arkansas, for the gift of the people of that State of 1,000,000 pounds of sugar to be made into Christmas candy for the soldiers in France. The sugar devoted to this purpose is one-fourth of the allowance to the people of Arkansas for the month of November, and residents of other states, who are restless under the restrictions, can judge of the home sacrifice if they will think of what it would mean to them to do with one-fourth less.

The Federal Food Administration has undertaken to see that this sugar is made into candy and distributed. It is estimated that this amount of sugar will provide a one-pound box for each of the 2,200,000 soldiers in France. There will be a slip in each box telling the soldiers how the candy was provided and the present intention is to make the distribution with the Christmas boxes from home.

With all the barbed wire in use in the war there is not much left for political fences.

Her failure to put in effect the Verdun motto, "They shall not pass," is already regretted by Holland.

Now will the profiteers abdicate?



EUROPE'S CRADLE OF ANARCHY.

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

ON FEEDING GERMANS.

From the New York Evening World.
PERSONS who are working themselves into a frenzy of protest against the possibility of the United States helping to provide for distribution of food in Germany should pull up a bit and weigh facts.

Leave sentiment out of the question. The attitude of the American and allied peoples toward the German nation cannot be a sentimental one.

The crimes of which Germany stands convicted—crimes in the commission of which a majority of the German people backed their militarist rulers until the power of the latter was crushed by allied and American forces—are still crimes for which the German people stand accountable.

Despite the famous Burke dictum to the effect that a nation cannot be indicted, the German nation has been indicted. Overwhelming proofs of its guilt beset a blood-stained, war-racked world. Its punishment will be the heaviest ever inflicted upon a people judged, found guilty and sentenced.

But—prisoners under sentence are not left to starve. Overpowered and disarmed, the criminal is not condemned to slow death from hunger. Even when food is not plentiful, civilization does not say "Stop feeding those in the jails."

Neither does civilization provide for the infliction of capital punishment upon a people.

Is any one prepared to come forward and propose that 60,000,000 or more Germans, old and young, of both sexes, shall be taken out to sea and drowned? Does any one advocate a general auto da fe in Germany?

Then why talk as if it were possible to leave only a blackened hole where Germany once was and produced as if the German Empire had never existed? A civilized world cannot afford to abandon its bed-rock principles of humanity and justice by seeking revenge instead of punishment. It cannot punish one crime by others which must react upon and brutalize whoever become instruments of its vengeance.

Obviously, beyond the safety guaranteed by the final destruction of militarism, the only gain to the world from punishing Germany must come from a punishment which consists of enforced reparation—so far as there can be reparation—for damage done.

The speed and fulness with which such reparation can be secured depends upon the number of living Germans who can be kept toiling to restore what German ruthlessness has destroyed.

It would be a slow business exacting work or collecting indemnity from Germans left to sink to lower and lower depths of starvation and disorder following the cataclysmic downfall of the dynasty which brought the German nation to its present plight.

There is no need, therefore, of humanitarian pleas to support the unanswerable economic argument that if Germans are to pay even a part of the colossal reckoning against them they must be fed. To refuse to feed them on sentimental grounds would be no more sensible than for a ranch owner to refuse to feed a herd of cattle that had stampeded and killed human beings.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams

THE OLD HOME PAPER.

It's just a county weekly from a little country town;
But I read it, every column; I devour it up and down.
I've been a paid subscriber on the list for 20 years.
And its editor has written all my family's joys and tears.
The little four-page journal used a picture of my mother when she died.
When he died, I clipped the story, but it never makes me sad—
'Cause I know the man who wrote it had his heart in every line;
So I love this little weekly from that old home town of mine.

It told about my wedding (having noted once my birth).
And said: "The bride's accomplished; the groom has sterling worth."
And later on, when babies came, my heart was made to swell
By the way the paper told it: "Babe and mother doing well."
And you should have seen the write-up, expressing deep regret
When I left. I've got the story, so I never can forget
What a friend I have in "Hometown," and every week I pine
For the news I know I'll see from that old home town of mine.

But news of late is changing, and the paper tells no more
Of the brand-new roof of shingles Merchant Brown put on his store;
It never says a word about Tom's mule at Katie's house;
Nor hints for its subscribers to present to him the shadow of the old world. Let us now, when the dove of peace and harmony hovers over the entire world, solve our own and old, mooted problems, and start the new era of world harmony with the elimination of extremist factors at home.

BURTON BUNCH.

FATS VS. THINS.

We are alarmed by the discovery that a great many people see in the new German Chancellor's obesity a roseate promise for the future. He apparently is a man built on the generous proportions of Gilbert K. Chesterton, and, like our own renowned poly-poly, Mr. Taft, he wears a smile. However, the extent to which all this is held to imply good nature and a sense of humor is something in which we are unable to agree. It is quite true that Lenin and Trotsky, who have turned the Russian revolution into a sort of anarchist's birthday, are a lean and hungry-looking pair apparently without the divine gift of humor; but the German General Staff so closely resembled the Beef Trust that for four years we have been pinning our faith in the future to spare people like our own President. We do not know whether Attila, the most terrible of all the Huns, ever smiled. We do know, though, that he was a little, hungry-looking fellow. Humor is futile without vision; and that combination, we believe, usually found in thin men. At any rate, the conflict of testimony on the point is too spirited to justify too great expectations of the fat Socialist who is now at the head of the German Government. Socrates, who had everything as no man before or since has had that balance of attributes which makes of one man's life an era in human history, was a veritable dumpling. The danger is not so much in either type as in being too sure.

Few of us celebrated peace as frankly as the East St. Louis cobbler, who put up this sign on Monday morning:

Drunk today. Will work tomorrow.
A bootblack's sign, Seventh and Locust:

Yes the flu has closed us 2
Want ad in the Wichita Times

WANTED—Catholic boy to work after school and help me run a one-horse boarding house. Geo. A. Daemzer, 604 Ohio.

HIS FEAST.

"I'll be home for Christmas dinner—
Have it ready then," he said;
But he lay, ere night had fallen,
In the Bivouac of the Dead.

Here no Christmas dinner waits him,
But in Heaven there will be,
At the Christmas Feast of Heroes,
Honored place for such as he.

Let no grief engloom that festive,
When the Christmas feast is spread,
For the soul passed on to glory
From the Bivouac of the Dead.
MAY MARCY BOWMAN.

A Study of Ebert, the Socialist,
Who Is Directing Germany's
Temporary Government

Though Long an Understudy of Bebel and His
Successor in the Reichstag, the Radicals
Charge He Is "A Conservative
and a Renegade."

A FORMER harness maker sits in the seat of the great Iron Chancellor of Germany.

When in turmoil bordering on and working toward chaos an autocracy loses its royal grips and forms of government supposedly iron-bound in security give way; when revolution, at first sporadic, becomes more or less general, and that which was supposedly grounded in permanency ceases to be, it is not surprising that by a process of political catapulting suited to the occasion, one of the mold of Friedrich Ebert should be projected into a state palace, and have thrust into his hand the pen with which to write edicts of authority, with agents ready to see to their speedy promulgation.

Events are moving so swiftly just now in the federation of States which once was Germany that the tenure of a Chancellor is both uncertain and insecure. Thrown up by the sudden eruption which blotted Czarism in Russia, Kerensky, distinctly of the proletariat and an idol for a time, was soon submerged by the same forces which gave him power.

It may be Ebert's fate to go the same bitter way, but one may write of him at the moment as being a figure of the largest responsibility. He sits in the seat of Bismarck, his mind is at the level of such machinery of Government as is permitted to function, his place in the Council Chamber is at the head of the table. He is the spokesman of elements, more or less homogeneous, which without the definite commission of the electorate have in an emergency undertaken to set up a new civil structure on the wreckage of Kaiserism. So long as these elements keep steadily to the task in hand, he may dominate, but in one emergency he would be without power. He may not stay the hand of anarchy. If there is to be a blotting of institutions and a general leveling before 60 million people can come to their senses, and take firm and forward steps to a new order, individuals of whatever station are powerless to prevent it.

Always in the Minority Before.
Who is Friedrich Ebert and what is he like? To speak of him as a former harnessmaker, does not do him justice. The genius of a man does not determine his ultimate place. Ebert was a harnessmaker. He is a statesman. How large he bulks in statescraft may not be estimated now. From the minority benches one is not in a position to urge a policy and record his negation to that which the larger vote makes imperative and until now Ebert has always been of the minority.

He has been in public life for 15 years, but he has only local prominence until a constituency, which gave its largest recognition to his union card and his facility with the awl and waxed end, sent him to be representative of the Reichstag. There he made his way slowly, studiously, remaining much of the time in the background content to sit at the feet of August Bebel, who, it may be remarked, was one of the two original Socialists who had seats in the Reichstag as far back as the days of the Franco-Prussian War. Bebel for a generation was about the sharpest thorn in the side of autocracy, and perhaps the most vitriolic exponent in written phrase and spoken word of the Socialist doctrine. Ebert, a sturdy, middle-aged man, became his successor when advancing years bore the veteran leader down.

After an appropriate interval the Socialist members chose Ebert for their spokesman. He is now vice chairman of the Social Democratic party and a commanding figure in the majority group of so-called Socialistic Conservatives, to give them a shading of distinction, who have drunk deep of both Marx and Bebel.

Grew Up in Heidelberg.
Ebert grew up as a boy in Heidelberg. His father, a tailor, sitting cross-legged on his bench, almost within the shadow of the university, fashioned garments for the undergraduates. Material is not at hand to show that the elder Ebert was a Socialist, but he probably was. An atmosphere of protest permeated the household. If the elder Ebert mumbled gutturals against social conditions, as one may venture to say that he did, the youth caught their meaning. Once out of his apprenticeship and in his early manhood, young Ebert went to live in Bremen, taking his small Socialistic library with him. He lost no time in identifying himself with the party group at the seaport city. He wrote for his Socialist paper. He spoke on the corners and on the docks, where his audiences were mostly of dockmen, sailors and other men who had stepped ashore in Hoboken from once familiar liners. In 1900 he was chosen a member of the City Council. It was 12 years later that he was elected to the Reichstag. He represented the Elberfeld-Barmen constituency.

These cities, lying a few miles' trolley run apart and having friendly municipal rivalry, like Minneapolis and St. Paul, are perhaps the greatest manufacturing towns in Rhenish Prussia. Breweries of amazing output, foundries which served the purposes of war, mills and factories, combine to make them prosperous. Their craftsmen and unskilled workers, organized long ago, are in a considerable majority and largely Socialist. Ebert has them in hand, or, it might be safer to say, had them well in hand, for with Germany seething and extreme

radicalism, with its check off, an hour may change the tenure.

As a physical type, there are counterparts of Ebert a-plenty in the United States. His is the type of German face that always wears a scowl—a face with two perpendicular lines above the nose, pressed so deep by muscular corrugation that the swarthy eyebrows are nearly brought together. The same fixed muscular effort has contracted the lids of his eyes until now black pupils are only half exposed. Other lines—swollen lines like the rest—extend from his nose to his cheeks. His mustache, black like his eyebrows, bristles full in his lip and a close-cropped goatee completes his beard. He is short and stocky, a man of physical stamina. He wears a broad, brown hat, pulled well down on his forehead.

Exact Standing as Socialist Indefinite.
Ebert's place in the Socialistic world is hard to define. He has been called a catspaw. The fact that he accepted the Chancellorship at the hands of Prince Max, who in turn was called to power by the main Hohenzollern before he elected to become plain Count, is but one fact which may be cited as establishing him of that status. During the greater part of the last four years he was aligned with Schlegelmann, chairman of the majority group of Socialists, in the Reichstag, in support of the war. He, with the others, yielded to the appeal of the Kaiser not to permit party questions to interfere with the Government program as it related to hostilities. In this he took a stand against the Liebknecht faction, which refused to compromise upon and stood out against the Kaiser's policy. Liebknecht was thrown into jail for standing for a principle. When by royal order he was set at liberty, Ebert was among the first to welcome him after the turnkey had thrown back the lock, giving the released prisoner a shake which was hearty enough to appear sincere.

Radical Socialists have not hesitated to call Ebert a renegade, from the intense Socialist principles and have even gone so far as to characterize him as a willing but not very keen instrument in the hand of the German autocracy. But that was of a yesterday now written in history. How he will be measured today and the succession of late November to-morrow, it is just as well not to venture a prediction.
The Kaiser having dethroned himself and taken the shortest automobile route 60 miles beyond the border of the Fatherland, and the Kaiserly Fritz, Rupprecht and the rest having followed the trump play, as is done in penuche games, and eliminated themselves from the proceedings, and the "Centrals and Lefts" and Conservatives having ceased to function, it would seem that the stage was appropriately set for the Socialists. They have taken possession of that which by the exodus of former rulers was an empty No Man's Land. What will they do with it?

Germany the Birthplace of Socialism
In Germany, if anywhere, Socialism may be expected to have its real test. Socialism as a method of government was first advanced as a theory in Germany. The German text books on Socialism are recognized as authoritative. Four million voters in Germany are Socialists.
As this is written the organization of Government is waiting for the machine-gun fire to be down in the streets of a score of cities so that the organizers may proceed to business instead of the morgue. Government, except for a proclamation or two in high-flown phrases, halts while the Workers' and Soldiers' Councils are rounding up the populace and separating the sheep from the goats. It looks as though the flock of goats, already large, will reach almost uncountable numbers.
How far the wool of Bolshevism is woven in the web of German Socialism will soon be known.
Under the old regime, with its thoroughly unfair and unrepresentative franchise, there were, nevertheless, 78 Socialist members in the Reichstag. The Reichstag was not in any sense a democratic body. Will the regime which will have the German post-war problem to deal with proceed to a full denial of democracy, or will it stand for a fair franchise and be content with the representation which the Socialist vote, honestly cast and fairly counted, entitles it to?

Denies That Schlesien Was Sunk.
By the Associated Press.
COPENHAGEN, Nov. 16.—The semi-official Wolff Bureau of Berlin denies that the German sailing ship Schlesien has been torpedoed.

A dispatch from Amsterdam, dated Tuesday, quoted the Wezer Zeitung as saying the Schlesien had been torpedoed by revolutionary warships. Evidently it had been reported that the warship had fled from Kiel when the sailors' revolt broke out there.

Events in the Social World.

*Mrs. Dulaney E. Leonard
Formerly Miss Clara Lussell...*

With Peace in the World, Society Is Looking Forward to Resuming Its Normal Gaieties, After Readjustment Period—Post-War Work Will Not Be Overlooked, However, and St. Louis This Week Will Give Its Entire Attention to Delayed United War Work Fund Campaign.

WITH peace pervading the world once more—and the influenza ban lifted—a note of joyousness is apparent everywhere, but the reaction from the strenuous, soul-stirring times through which we have lived the past 20 months since our entrance into the war, has set in and people have not as yet adjusted themselves to the new regime. No doubt before long society will assume its normal round of gaieties, and parties and entertainments will once more be the order of the day.

However, there is still much post-war work to be done by women, and the need of their assistance in the reconstruction period will be as great as it was during the war. It has been said, and said truly, that our fight is not won until every boy is safely home again. But the depression that hung over us like a threatening cloud has been dispelled since the news of peace on Monday and the desire for diversion and pleasure which was rife on that day will doubtless manifest itself in a resumption of social activities.

Of great interest the coming week will be the United War Work campaign, in which every man, woman and child must play his or her part. Although compelled to be postponed on account of the influenza restrictions, it is nevertheless of just as great importance and St. Louis must continue in time of peace the good record it has made during the time just past.

THE musical season will open this afternoon with the first "Pop" concert by the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra. The first regular concert will be next Friday afternoon and Saturday night. One of



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Photograph by Whiting.

*Miss Clarice Whiting
Whose engagement to Mr. William Burrell Rogers has been announced...*

the Junior League. The first floor is given over to the various booths which hold everything in the way of furniture, clothes, toys and art goods that could be wished for, and one feels transported to "La Belle France" when they ascend to the second floor, where the lunch and tea room is located. This is made to represent a village "Somewhere in France," and with the bevy of girl waitresses, dressed as Brittany peasant maids, the effect is most artistic.

Mrs. Reinald Frost is president of the Allies' Shop and Mrs. Frank P. Crunden is chairman of the Arbitration Committee. Mrs. Herman von Schrenk is chairman of the stock room and her duties consist of overseeing and sorting all the articles contributed. Mrs. Robert Lee Kayser is chairman of the office and is on duty each afternoon to direct any congestion that may occur.

Miss Evelyn Stewart is chairman of "bargains." One of the important departments is the furniture department, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Emmett North, assisted by Mrs. John Ockerson, T. L. Mauldin, A. W. Greene, H. R. Mc-

Kay, N. R. Williams, G. H. Moore and A. Kloss. Many handsome pieces are already in stock, but any donations will be gladly received by Mrs. North or any member of her committee.

The Women's clothing department contains afternoon and evening dresses, sport and street suits, coats, skirts, shirtwaists, sweaters, petticoats and every sort of apparel to fit a woman's need. Mrs. John Douglass and Mrs. E. R. Culver are chairmen of this department and have as assistants Mrs. Sam McCluney, William Byrnes, Sam Tipton, H. G. Koerber, Frank Blelock, C. A. Niedringhaus, A. C. Lueking, Alex Lindquist and Lansing Ray, and Misses Mary Holladay, E. Petring and Eleanor Klein. A wealthy woman, who has recently gone into mourning, turned over almost her entire wardrobe to this committee.

Mrs. Thomas K. Niedringhaus has charge of the Children's clothing department, which includes apparel for children from infancy to 6 years old. Assisting Mrs. Niedringhaus are: On Monday, Mrs. Frederick Orthwein, Mrs. Walter Fischer; Tuesday, Mrs. William L. Boeckeler,



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*Mrs. Jerome J. Schotten
Who until Monday was Miss Grace White...*



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*Mrs. Louis J. Hayward
Who is working for the success of the Allies' Shop...*



Photograph by Kajiwara.

*Mrs. George Marion Brown
One of the matrons in charge of the tea room of the Allies' Shop...*

Mrs. Albert Bond Lambert; Wednesday, Mrs. William C. Stribling, Mrs. Charles Scudder, Mrs. William Shomaker; Thursday, Mrs. Goodman King, Mrs. O. L. Mersman; Friday, Mrs. Churchill Whittemore, Mrs. Alonso Church; Saturday, Mrs. Jackson Johnson, Mrs. George Warren Brown. Other women who have volunteered for auxiliary work on this committee are: Mrs. George Hoblitzelle, Herndon Smith, Charles Wiggins, John Fowler, Henry Elliot, John Roberts, Alden Little, Fidelio Sharp, William Bagnell, Harry Pottier, Elliott Bridge and R. L. Hayman.

ONE of the interesting announcements of the past week was that of the engagement of Miss Clarice Whiting to William Burrell Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rogers.

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Social Events

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Rogers of Kansas City, formerly of St. Louis. Miss Whiting is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Whiting and has been one of the most popular members of her set. Mr. Rogers has been in France for the last 18 months, with Hospital Unit 21, from Barnes Hospital. His sister Mrs. Bruce Carpenter, who was Miss Winifred Rogers until last August, has frequently been the guest of Miss Whiting here, and received much attention. No date for the

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wedding has been set, as it depends upon Mr. Rogers' return from overseas.

A NOTHER interesting engagement announced that of Miss Edna Lortz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Edward Lortz, 5933 Lindell boulevard, to Norman Addis Jones, son of Mrs. Jean Jones, 5833 Nina place. Miss Lortz made her debut a few years ago at the Velled Prophet's ball. Her brother, Russell E. Lortz, married Miss Grace Pingree and is stationed in New York in the navy. Mr. Jones came originally from Newcastle, Pa. He is a member of the Missouri Athletic Association and the Sunset Hill Country Club. Mr. Jones expects to depart soon for London and the wedding date will be set upon his return.

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THE engagement of Miss Genevieve Burks, daughter of Mrs. O. A. Burks of Springfield, Mo., to Dr. Robert F. Hyland of St. Louis, chief surgeon of the United Railways, was disclosed at an entertainment given by Mrs. Burks and her daughter Monday. Miss Burks was educated at the Visitation Convent and following her graduation took up a course of training as a Red Cross nurse at a hospital here, where she met Dr. Hyland. He was appointed a First Lieutenant in the Medical Corps and has been stationed at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., but received word Monday of his promotion to a captaincy.

SOCIETY looks forward with a deal of anticipation to the bridge party to be given at the St. Louis Women's Club Thanksgiving eve, by the Executive Board of the Soldiers', Sailors' and Marines' Club, to provide funds for more widespread entertainment of enlisted men passing through the city now and during the increased traffic that will be brought about by the demobilization.

The office is in charge of a special committee, headed by Mrs. C. W. Scudder, and the game will start at 2 o'clock.

Those assisting Mrs. Scudder in arranging the party are Mrs. W. A. Shoemaker, Mrs. J. D. P. Francis, Mrs. Robert Burkham, Mrs. Tom Mauffit, Mrs. Robert James, Mrs. S. Fuqua, Mrs. Herbert Parker, Mrs. John S. Payne, Mrs. Henry Boeckeler, Mrs. Thomas M. Anderson and Mrs. Goodman King.

SOCIETY will be well represented at the recitals to be given Saturday morning and the following Monday morning in the ballroom at Hotel Statler by Miss Maud A. Miner, dramatic reader of Chicago. Miss Miner will read "Out There," by J. Hartley Manners, and "The Big Idea," by E. A. Thomas. The proceeds of the events are to be donated to the Memorial Home at 2600 South Grand avenue, which is a home for aged men and their wives. More than 500 prominent women will act as patronesses for the recitals.

THE Woman's Committee of the Soldiers', Sailors' and Marines' Club has issued announcements for a luncheon Tuesday noon in the ballroom of the Hotel Statler. This promises to be one of the largest affairs of the week, as several hundred have made reservations. Mrs. Frank P. Hays, chairman of the club, will preside. An invitation is extended to all club members, contributing members and members of organizations contributing to the club's upkeep to attend.

Dr. Cecile Griel, the woman physician who started the Red Cross in Italy and who is one of the few survivors of the submarine Ancona, will give a talk.

Preceding the luncheon the annual business meeting, with election of officers for the ensuing year, will take place.

Christmas Gifts that are both useful and ornamental at The Applied Arts.—ADV.

Thursday, Dec. 5, marks the opening of the musicals arranged for Hotel Statler under the auspices of the Alliance Francaise for the Fatherless Children of France and American Fund for French Wounded. Practically all the dates have had to be changed and the schedule now is, following Dec. 5, Jan. 3, Feb. 4 and Feb. 24. There will be no change in the soloists. Dona de Philippe, soprano with the Chicago Opera company, and Salvatore de Stefano, harpist, will open the series. Box parties are being arranged by Mrs. Walter T. Campbell, Mrs. Frank P. Crunden, Mrs. Guy Study, Mrs. Henry C. Scott, Mrs. George F. Steedman, Mrs. Edward Walsh and Mrs. Charles Cummings Collins.

The first concert of the Apollo Club will be given Tuesday evening, Nov. 26, at the Odeon, with Mabel Garrison as soloist. The two other artists engaged for this season are Mme. Louise Homer and Emilio de Gogera. The boxholders for the season are W. K. Dixby, August A. Busch, Leslie Dana, T. W. Garland, Mrs. J. C. Hays, Henry W. Kistner, W. R. Medart, Henry W. Peters, Frank A. Ruf, Dr. J. B. Shapleigh, W. K. Stanard, Mrs. H. Watson, Chas. Wiggins, M. L. Wilkinson, Phil A. Becker, Chas. Galloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Morrill of 4534 West Pine boulevard, are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter.

The members of the Smith College Club will give a luncheon on Wednesday at the University Club in honor of Miss Frances Valentine of Western, R. I., who has been with the Smith College Unit in France for the past year. Following the luncheon Miss Valentine will speak in the chapel of the Second Presbyterian Church at 3 o'clock, which is open to all members of the College Club and guests.

The cessation of hostilities will not cause the French classes for the soldiers at St. Louis University to be abandoned, but they will be started next week. Mrs. Walter E. Douglas has been in charge of securing patriotic women who speak French to take charge of the classes and 100

have already enrolled. The regional military inspectors for the Government recently visited the university and their message to the patriotic French women of St. Louis is "continue." One-third of the volunteer teachers will be called next week and as the work progresses the others will be notified.

The marriage of Miss Gertrude

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Social Events

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McCormick to Lieut. Walter L. Wiedmer was quietly celebrated Tuesday morning at the residence of the Rev. S. C. Palmer or 6636 Waterman avenue, with only relatives present. Immediately after the ceremony Lieut. Wiedmer and his bride departed for New York and will later go to Camp Devens, Mass., where he is stationed in the medical corps. Mrs. Wiedmer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCormick of 1127 McCausland avenue and was educated at Lenox Hall. Lieut. Wiedmer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wiedmer of 3538 Halliday avenue and was graduated from St. Louis University.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Daugherty and daughter, Miss Janette Daugherty, of 334 Beach avenue, have gone to Chicago and the Great Lakes Training School to visit for three days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Lackey of 5621 Maple avenue have as their guest, their daughter, Mrs. William Bouldin of West Virginia, who was formerly Miss Agnes Rodgers Lackey. Her husband is in France with an engineering corps.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Taussig of 3747 Washington boulevard have returned from Excelsior Springs, where they accompanied Mr. and Mrs. James E. Taussig, in whose private car they made the trip.

A. G. de Yong of Anna, Ill., formerly of Webster Groves, and Miss Charlotte Davis of Anna, were married at Mound City, Ill., Saturday afternoon, Nov. 9, by Judge Hood of that city. They will reside at the Halliday Hotel, in Cairo, Ill., for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brashear of 5734 Vernon avenue have as their guest, their daughter, Mrs. Edward Sherburne, while her husband, Maj. Sherburne, is in France.

Mr. and Mrs. August W. Bensiek, 3710 North Grand avenue, entertained a party at their hunting lodge, "Eagle's Nest," in the Ozarks, for the past two weeks. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Berger, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gross and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Zealle.

The first meeting of the St. Louis Parliamentary Club will be held on Monday, Nov. 25, at 10 o'clock, at the American Annex. Mrs. N. P. Zimmer will be the leader for the ensuing year and Mrs. Richard Kring is president.

The card party for the benefit of the Relative Auxiliary of the St. Louis National Guard, under the auspices of the ladies of Company A Auxiliary, 138th Infantry, which was to have been given Oct. 26, will take place Saturday, Nov. 23, at 2:30 o'clock at the Hamilton Hotel.

The Members' Day Concert of the Morning Choral Club, which was to have been held Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the Statler Hotel, has been changed to the same hour at the Woman's Club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Betzold of 2915 Osage street announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Irene Betzold, to Dr. R. L. Witty of Genesee, Idaho, which took place in Spokane, Wash., on Nov. 1, at the parsonage of the First Presbyterian Church. After a short visit in Troy, Wash., they departed for Genesee, Idaho, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stocke have taken possession of their new home at 6555 Waterman avenue.

Mrs. Albert Jensen of 4442A Chouteau avenue is entertaining her sister-in-law, Miss Dagmar Jensen of Denver, Colo.

A meeting of the Memorial Tablet Honor Roll Committee, of which Mrs. Ben F. Gray is chairman, will meet Thursday at 2 o'clock at the Jefferson Memorial.

The Century Boat Club has sent out notices of an informal dinner dance to be held Thanksgiving Eve which will open the social season of the club. Dinner will be served from 7 to 10 o'clock and dancing will continue until 2. This will be an evening of rejoicing followed by a day of thanksgiving.

An event which is being anticipated with much interest is the meeting of the eight district Missouri Federation of Musicians at Wednesday Club Auditorium Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock. This will give the club women and their guests an opportunity to hear Mrs. George Still of Kirksville, State president, who will speak on "Woman's Work in the World War"; Mrs. William Chiovis on War Victory Commission, and Mrs. William Dan Steele of Sedalia, State chairman of art, who will lead in the singing and speak on Community Music. Anyone interested in club work is welcome. On Nov. 22 the annual meeting, at 9:30 o'clock, followed by a luncheon at 12:30 at Hotel Statler, will take place, at which the election of officers will be held. Reservations must be made through the chairman of the Luncheon Committee, Mrs. J. E. Allen, Grand 1515, not later than Wednesday.

Miss Eva Hain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hain of 4146 Flora boulevard, has been accepted and enrolled for overseas service and expects to do hospital and hut service in France under the supervision of the American Red Cross, and is awaiting sailing orders from Washington.

The entire student body of Western College for Women, as well as many outside guests, have been invited to attend the first social event since the dedication of the Krumler Memorial Chapel, which will be the marriage of Miss Lucile Smith of Georgetown, O., to Walter F. Meisner of St. Louis, on Nov. 20, the ceremony at St. Louis.

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Interesting Exhibit of French War Posters—All Works of Art—on Sixth Floor

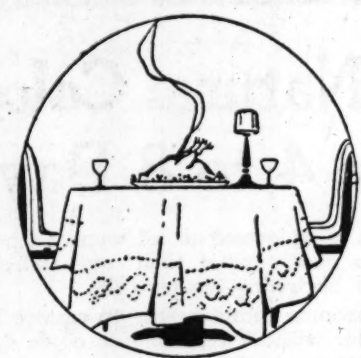
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American semi-porcelain, blue line decoration, including six each Dinner Plates, Bread and Butter Plates, Fruit Saucers, Cups, Saucers and one Meat Dish.

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Wide gold band decoration and heavy gold handles—of American semi-porcelain. Complete with Bread and Butter Plates.

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Theodore Haviland French china, dainty pink floral design. Half mat gold handle. Open stock pattern.



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Light-weight domestic semi-porcelain, in dainty pink spray designs and gold lines. Complete set for twelve persons. These are subject to slight imperfections. Included are:

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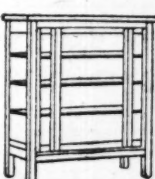
Buffets, in solid oak, 60 inches long, at.....\$39.50



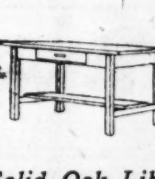
Solid Oak Tea Carts, any finish, at \$12.00



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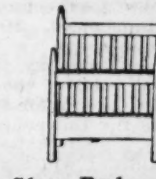
China Cabinets, in solid oak, at.....\$24.95



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Soft, lustrous quality, splendid wearing fabric for dresses, waists, etc., 40 inches wide. Street shades, black and ivory. Slightly imperfect. (Downstairs Store.)

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at \$15.00



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The Coats—

Include handsome Plush Coats, Corduroy Coats, Kersey Coats and other warm cloths—all are effectively trimmed, and in all the wanted colors. All sizes for women and misses.

All these garments were chosen for their wearing quality, as well as their smartness, and if you have a need for a Coat or Dress, we advise you to attend this event. (Downstairs Store.)

The Dresses—

Include a lot of charming new Dresses of satin, serge, jersey, taffeta and crepe de chine. Come in all the wanted shades, such as taupe, plum, green, brown, navy, also black. Sizes for women and misses.

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| Feta-Naptha Soap, per bar | 6c |
| Washing Powder, Gold Dust, extra large package | 25c |
| Laundry Tablets, N. R. G. Co. package, 7 packages for box | 25c |
| Matchless, Northern brand, large box 500s; per box | 5c |
| Ground Chili Pepper, genuine, per pound | 40c |
| Mexican Chili Pepper, Pods, genuine, per pound | 35c |
| Chili Beans, California pink, per pound | 11c |
| Pinto Beans, finest brand, per pound | 10c |
| Macaroni, Spaghetti and Noodles, Faust brand, small and large packages, 4 for 15c | 15c |
| Buckwheat Flour and Pancake Flour, self-rising, Temor brand, per package | 9c |
| Whole Wheat Flour, Victory brand, in bulk, per pound | 6c |
| Gold Medal Flour, 5-pound paper bag | 31c |
| 15-pound paper bag | 51c |
| 24-pound sack | \$1.42 |
| 48-pound sack | \$2.79 |
| 98-pound sack | \$5.58 |
| Wheat Flakes, Malt, Alber's, made from California selected wheat, 10c per package | 10c |
| Corn Flakes, Malt, Alber's, 10c per package | 10c |
| Liberty Pretzels, large and small, per package | 18c |
| Liberty Pretzels, large and small, per package | 17c |
| Soft Shell Walnuts, California, No. 1 per pound | 40c |
| Sweet Prunes, Santa Clara, 25c per can | 25c |
| Whole White Rice, for stewing, California fancy, new, 20c per can | 20c |
| Condensed Meat, Leading Star brand, new stock, extra good, per package | 10c |
| Apple Butter, Harvester brand, absolutely pure, in quart glass jars, per jar | 33c |
| Chili Sauce, Beechhut brand, extra quality, pint bottle | 34c |
| Tomato Soup, Snyder's, 3 cans for | 25c |
| Vegetable and Vegetable-Beef Soup, Campbell's, per can | 10c |
| Tomatoes, Crumley brand, solid-packed, red ripe, No. 3 size, per can | 20c |
| Early June Peas, Sunset Inn brand, sifted, No. 2 size can, per can | 17c |



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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH SYMPHONY SEASON TO COMMENCE TODAY

Popular Concert in Afternoon and Regular Programs Friday and Saturday.

The Symphony Orchestra season, a bit belated on account of the recent influenza ban, will open full blast this week. There will be a popular concert at the Odeon this afternoon, and on next Friday afternoon and Saturday night the first regular concerts will be given.

This afternoon's program is different from any preceding one in that it includes the community "sing" feature. This means that the audience will be expected to shift from the role of hearers to that of participants.

The singing will be conducted by Ralph Stolz, Y. M. C. A. song leader, with the assistance of Julie Bruer, soprano; Olga Hambuechen, contralto, and J. Glenn Lee, tenor.

The selections to be attempted are: "For the Boys Over There," "Keep the Home Fires Burning," "There's a Long, Long Trail," and "When Johnnie Comes Marching Home." Today's program will be as follows, with Miss Marion Elsa Taucke, St. Louis contralto, as soloist.

United States Field Artillery March.....Thomas
Overture to "Mignon".....Thomas
Arioso from "La Mort de Jeanne d'Arc".....Bamberger
Ballet music from "Le Cid".....Massenet
Two Boleros, Opus 33.....Grieg
(a) Legato
(b) Allegro

Songs with piano (First time.)

(a) "Dawn on the Desert".....Ross
(b) "April".....Tosti
(c) "Love Is the Wind".....MacDermiden
(Mrs. Frank A. Habig, accompanist.)
French National Little March (Le Regiment du Sambre-et-Meuse).....Turlet

Francesca Peralta, soprano, of the Chicago Opera Association, will be soloist Friday afternoon and Saturday night, presenting Verdi's aria, "Pace, pace, mio Dio," from "La Forza del Destino," and Ponchielli's song, "Sulcido," from "La Gioconda."

A number performed for the first time here will be Edward Ballantine's symphonic poem, "The Eve of St. Agnes," after the familiar poem by John Keats. Tschakowsky's Fifth Symphony, the "Revolutionary," will complete the offering.

HOMES SOUGHT FOR INFANTS MADE MOTHERLESS BY "FLU"

Little Ones Need Not Be Adopted and Fathers Will Pay for Their Care. Homes for infants who have lost their mothers through the influenza epidemic are being sought by the St. Louis Children's Aid Society. Miss H. Miller, secretary of the "placing out department," says the society has been asked to find homes for more children than there are places available, and she is appealing to St. Louisans to care for the little ones.

The babies are not to be adopted by persons taking them into their homes, as their fathers merely are seeking some place where they may be cared for, and will pay for the care given them. The children are from both Catholic and Protestant homes. Persons desiring to care for any of these children should consult Miss Miller, room 303, 911 Locust street.

DISTRICT COOKING CLASSES

Fifty Students in Each Will Be Taught Conservation Methods.

The lifting of the influenza ban will permit the immediate opening of many world relief conservation classes in cooking and clothing all over the city. These classes are now being formed by the Organization Division of the United States Food Administration, of which Mrs. George A. Bass is chairman, and are on the order of the war cooking classes of last season. The teachers will be the home demonstration agents who have headquarters at 219 North Tenth street and represent the Agricultural College of the University of Missouri and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Classes of 50 each will be formed by district chairmen of the Organization Division, Miss Rose Cooper, 4706 Michigan avenue; Mrs. Ottmar Moll, 2033 McCausland avenue; Mrs. Samuel Braden, 4701 Westminster place; Miss D. E. Fischer, 1948 Gravois avenue; Mrs. W. A. Scudder, 4063 Washington avenue; Mrs. H. P. Fritsch, 5475 Cabanne avenue; Mrs. T. W. Hardy, Normandy; Mrs. Gus Oppenheimer, 5223 Berlin avenue; Mrs. W. B. Ver Steeg, 4646 Lindell boulevard; Mrs. S. J. McKinley, Webster Groves, and Mrs. James Avery Webb, 4233 West Pine boulevard.

MOTHERS TO HOLD MEETING

Gathering Wednesday Under Food Show Auspices.

A meeting of mothers, which will be held at Central High School Auditorium Wednesday at 3 p. m., under the auspices of the Patriotic Food Show Committee. Dr. J. W. Withers and Dr. Henry L. Wolfner of the Board of Education will speak. Mrs. Eugene T. Senseney will outline the new Food Administration program. There will be community singing, under the direction of E. L. Coburn, superintendent of singing in the public schools.

Delegations from 125 public schools will distribute Patriotic Food Show tickets and literature among the families of school children. Saturday, Nov. 30, will be children's day at the show, when special school children's tickets at 15 cents will be honored when presented by children under 14 years of age. The special school tickets will also be good for Thanksgiving afternoon. They will be distributed through the public school teachers.

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If you could take all the Flavor out of a peach and then weigh it, no scales would be sensitive enough to detect the difference. Yet you wouldn't want to eat the flavorless peach.

It's just that "little something" about foods, the indefinite, elusive Flavor, that draws or repels you.

And there is no Flavor just like the taste and tasty tang of the AMERICAN CRANBERRY.

Here are two recipes to show you how delicious the Cranberry taste is and also how little sugar is required:

Cranberry Pie

Short pastry made with barley flour, corn flour, or mixed war flour, and shortened with butter or butter substitute. Filling No. 1.—One quart cranberries, 1 pint water, 1/4 level teaspoon salt, 1 cup sugar. Bring the water and salt together to a boiling point. Pick over and wash the cranberries, put them into the pint of boiling water and cook rapidly for 5 minutes, or until the skins of the berries have broken. Cool slightly, add the sugar, bring to boiling point, and cook slowly for additional five minutes. Filling No. 2.—Two cups cranberries, 1 cup water, a pinch of salt, 3/4 of a cup of sugar. Boil cranberries with water and salt until soft. When nearly cool stir in sugar. Enough to serve six persons. For both fillings—Have ready a party baked pastry shell; pour in filling when cold; put strips of pastry over top and finish baking in a moderate oven.

Cranberry Jelly

Cook until soft the desired quantity of cranberries with 1 1/2 pints of water for each 2 quarts of berries. Strain the juice through a jelly bag. Measure the juice and heat it to the boiling point. Add one cup of sugar for every two cups of juice; stir until the sugar is dissolved; boil briskly for five minutes; skim, and pour into glass tumblers or porcelain or crockery molds. Spread on hot biscuits, muffins or toast, Cranberry Jelly is delicious for breakfast or supper.

Cook cranberries in porcelain lined, enameled or aluminum vessels only.

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U. S. WANTS EDITORIAL CLERKS

Civil Service Examinations to Be Held Here Nov. 20 and Dec. 11. Examinations for editorial clerks in the United States Civil Service will be held in the Old Custom House, Third and Olive streets, on Nov. 20 and Dec. 11. Entrance salaries range from \$1200 to \$1600 a year and women are particularly urged to take the examination. Applicants must be at

least 18 years old and will be examined in editing, abstracting, proof-reading, manuscript preparation and indexing. Applicants should apply to the Civil Service Commission in Washington for blanks which, properly filled out, will make them eligible for the examination.

St. Louis' Vote on Amendments. The nine proposed constitutional

amendments submitted to the voters of St. Louis at the election of Nov. 5 were rejected by overwhelming majorities, according to the official count completed by the Board of Election Commissioners. The majority here against the amendment providing for the election of a commission to frame a new charter for Kansas City was 44,724. The prohibition amendment lost by 88,226 in the city.

MISS JUDITH OLIVER TELLS OF WAR WORK

Hardest Day in Four Months in France Was July 4, When She Served 1500 Fruit Salads.

By MARGUERITE MARTIN.

Among the very first St. Louis young women to go to France for the Red Cross were Miss Isabel Brownlee and Miss Judith Oliver, who went to superintend surgical dressings shops among French women. After more than a year at more and more rigorous assignments, Miss Oliver has returned home for needed recuperation, her health having felt a strain since July 4. When she tells of putting in 26 hours' work at cooking meals and serving them, and dancing in trench boots in a crowd that finally broke the floor down, one does not wonder she isn't rested yet.

Many young women have gone over for canteen service and many others are needed not only by the Red Cross, but by the other organizations in the United War Charities, for it is being more and more demonstrated that the personal touch and the decent influence of women from home where our soldiers are in contact with the domestic side of life are the most valuable use of which women's service can be put.

Did All Menial Work. Miss Oliver's last assignment was to our largest overseas aviation camp, at Issoudun, in the center of France. Five thousand enlisted men and 300 officers are in camp there. I believe she is the first canteen to return to St. Louis able to enlighten us from actual experience in this work.

"There was at first a disagreement between our directress, Miss Given-Wilson, and Mrs. Vanderbilt, next in authority," said Miss Oliver at her home, 4376 Westminister place, as to whether we girls do the menial work or whether we hired such service and devoted ourselves to overseeing and acting as hostesses.

"Miss Given-Wilson won her point and proved beyond doubt that the menial service is necessary. To bring strange women into the camp where they had to remain overnight was to invite the very influence we were trying to combat. And it wasn't practical, either, for French women do not work when there are men around to be entertained, not even the old or plain ones."

Men Attracted by Spirit. "It was soon to be seen, too," she continued, "that our men were much impressed and inspired by the sight of their countrywomen voluntarily and without pay doing the menial work to do the homely tasks for them. So the girls, whether we had ever been accustomed to such work at home or not, did everything there was to be done about a canteen—the cooking, scrubbing, washing dishes, mopping tables, serving not only three meals a day, but afternoon tea and late breakfasts. Some of us did mending in the tailor shop we had when we couldn't get outside help. And for a time I was librarian. We had one of the best libraries I ever have seen. Never had to refuse a request, but once, and that was when a mechanic whom we girls had always thought rather a joke (he was so uncount looking), demanded Ibsen's 'Doll's House' in the original."

"In the evening we gave moving picture shows and dances. 'As there were only 24 girls, we were kept pretty busy, and most of the 'personal contact,' which is the main object of the service, was to be had only over the dishpan or the counter or the scrub bucket. But, somehow, men seem to think women most attractive at these humble services, and they would get very confidential over a dishpan."

Aviators Well Liked. "And weren't the aviators the darlingest of all the soldiers?" I asked.

"They were the pick of the whole country," she agreed heartily. "The most fit, the most youthful."

"But weren't they a good deal spoiled, too, when off duty?" "Military formalities certainly are not enforced among them as in other branches and their disregard of them greatly annoys the officers who happen to be West Pointers. They take too great advantage of extra liberties allowed them, too. They are much given to having 'forced handings' in the immediate vicinity of chateaux, which have a reputation for hospitality, or, on the other side of the village through which they have to walk back and which is thickly populated with women from Paris, attracted there by the proximity of the aviation camp."

"But, on the whole, aviators seemed to appreciate wholesome recreation provided by the Red Cross. Perhaps our biggest day was the Fourth of July," pursued Miss Oliver. "On that day we girls got up at 2 o'clock. We made 4000 sandwiches before breakfast time. We cooked and served at tables all day long. I served 1500 fruit salads on that day, I recall. Then, sending out camions, we gathered together all the nurses from the hospitals in the region and had a dance at night. We were told by our directress that we must dance. No girls must refuse. We danced till 4:30 the next morning, and because the men were hobnail shoes we, as a protection, had to wear our trench boots. The heavy boots and the crowding of the floor caused it to give way at 4:30 o'clock in the morning."

"I rather overdid it that day and ever afterward felt my endurance to be not what it had been before."

Enthusiastic Over Work. "When I went over the work was much harder than it is now, because we had so few women. Washington made it very difficult about passports. There seems to have been a sentiment that women were more bothersome than useful. But I think the work must have proved

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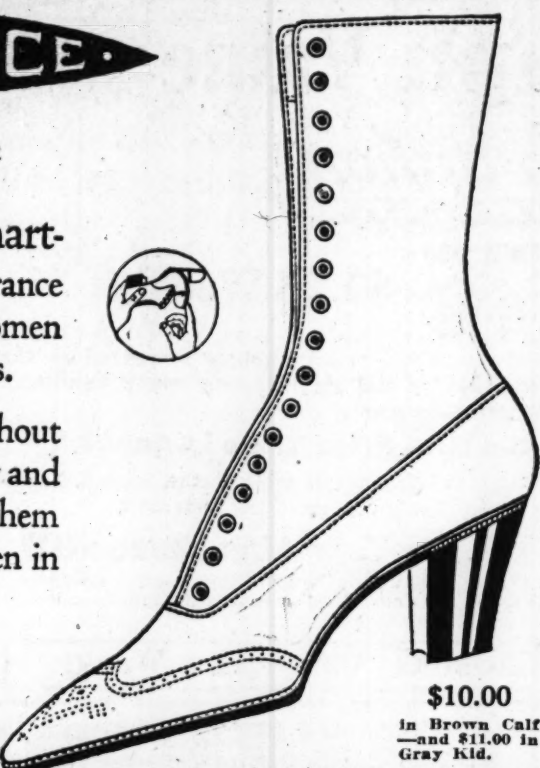
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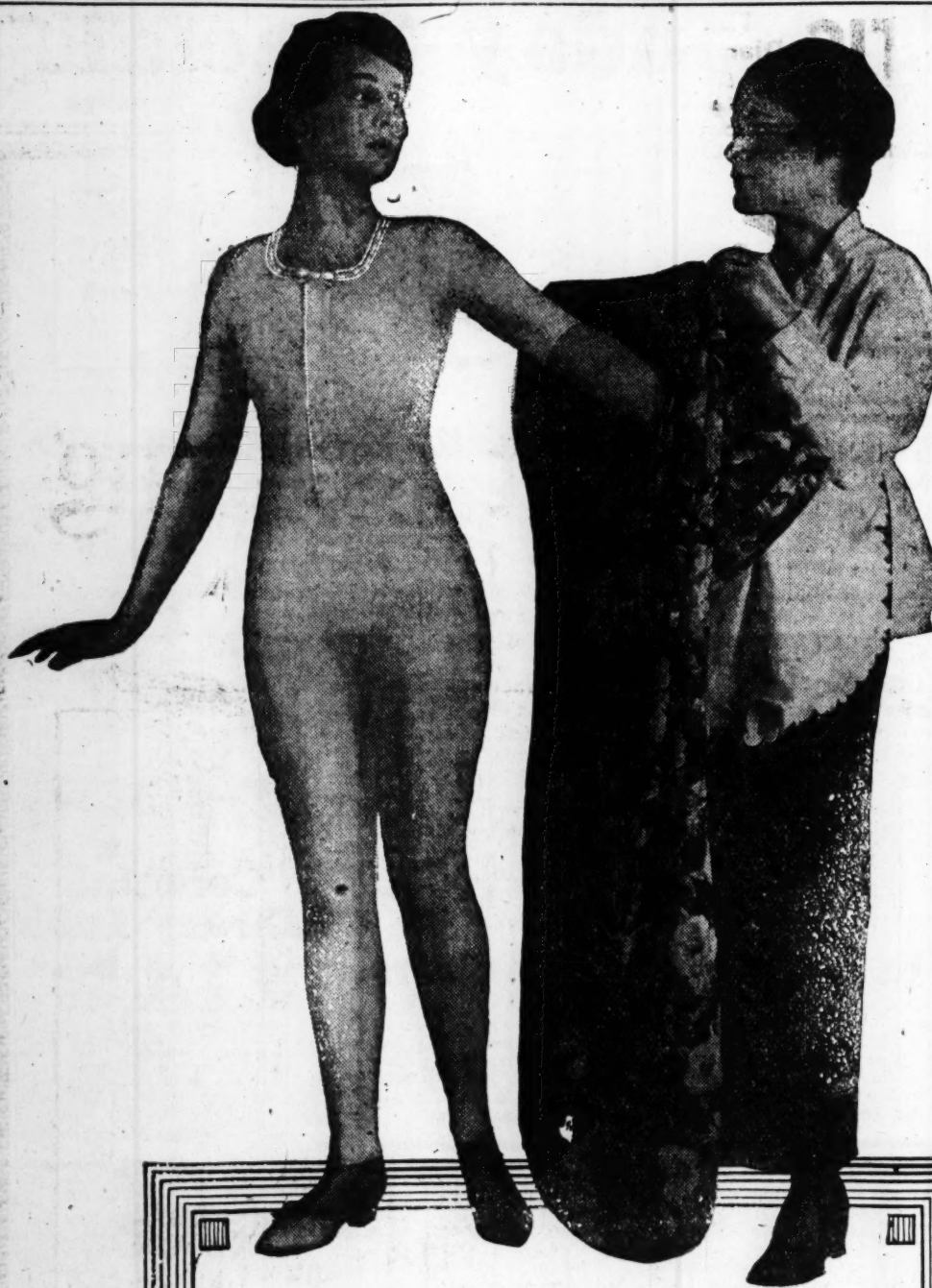
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SIMONDS REVIEWS FOCH'S STRATEGY IN LAST BATTLE

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ciences; the whole second line be-
tween the Oise and the Meuse would
have to be evacuated and the Ger-
mans could only stand temporarily
behind their third line from the
Sambre to the Meuse and thence to
Metz. They would have to quit all of
France, save a narrow belt along the
frontier, and they could no longer
use the Metz-Mezieres-Maubouge
railway.

Deliverance of France and Belgium.
To all practical purposes the deliv-
erance of France west of the Meuse
was thus accomplished and the free-
ing of Belgium west of the Scheldt
was achieved. Valenciennes, which
fell on Saturday, Nov. 2, was the last
French city of any size to remain in
their hands. They had in less than
two months lost rather more than
6000 square miles of French territory
and were bound to lose another
thousand square miles in the next
few days. Within their new positions
they would hold less than 2000 square
miles, as against nearly 5000 occu-
pied in July; they had, too, lost all
the industrial districts, together with
all the considerable cities.

After the first days of November
the story is one of swift and relent-
less pursuit—pursuit by the British
down the valley of the Sambre
through Maubouge and across the
Belgian frontier, until they stood on
the ground where Field Marshal Sir
John French opened the British
phase of the war, pursuit to the Bel-
gian frontier in the center by the
French armies returning by the
roads over which Lanceria had re-
treated after the defeat of Charle-
roi; pursuit to and beyond the
Meuse by Pershing's young army, by
which achievement it was to retake
Sedan and by new splendors extin-
guish the old, unhappy memories at-
taching to that city.

By Sunday, Nov. 10, which offi-
cial statements in fact close the mil-
itary history of the armies, the bro-
ken German armies were fleeing east-
ward from the Dutch frontier to the
outskirts of Metz, they were still
fighting back as they retired at cer-
tain points. They were not yet retu-
red in the narrow sense of the word
but their power for offense or even
for prolonged defense operations was
at an end. That they could have
rallied and made a successful stand
west of the Rhine may well be
doubted as a military question, even
if the nation had not collapsed be-
hind the army and the home front
broken before the military front
yielded.

Now we have to contrast the Foch
method with that of Ludendorff.
Both had the same problem before
them. Ludendorff worked at his
from March 21 to July 18. Foch
opened his offensive on July 18, and
had his solution in hand by the first
day of November. Both soldiers were
troubled by the element of time;
Ludendorff by the necessity of get-
ting a decision before America could
take a real hand. Foch had to have
a decision before winter stopped the
operations. Ludendorff had almost
four months; Foch is still a fortnight
poorer in time. But bad weather will
not now affect him, his success has
been so complete.

Ludendorff conceived that he
could win the victory by one gigan-
tic thrust. He returned to the open-
ing days of the war and undertook
to succeed where Moltke had failed.
His first blow, on March 21, was one
of the finest pieces of military me-
chanics in the history of war. It
came mighty near to winning the
continental phase of the conflict. It
failed because the human machine
was not equal to the task set for it.
By the end of a week the great, vic-
torious army was out of breath, out
of ammunition; it had outrun its
guns, and once more, as at Verdun,
there was just time for the French
troops to arrive. Beaten as they were,
the British had managed to hold on
as the French had at Verdun, until
aid could come.

By April 1 Ludendorff's great
gamble had failed, in the midst of
success. A week later, after a futile
attack before Arras, he tried a new
venture in the north, with such re-
serves as remained to him. Again he
succeeded at the start, seemed to be
on the open road to the Channel, and
then was halted west of Kemmel in
the last days of April, when another
French army arrived to support the
British, who had fought magnificently
and had suffered no such disaster
as had overwhelmed Gough's fifth
army. By May 1, Ludendorff was at
the end of his resources. He could
do no more, and for a whole month
he gave his enemy a respite while he
prepared a new blow.

The new blow was again a bril-
liant success. It swept over the
Chemin-des-Dames, across the Vesle,
the Oureq and reached the Marne.
But again it exhausted itself. More-
over an effort to extend the dislo-
cation by a thrust west of the Oise
was promptly beaten down in June;
and we had the first sign of the ap-
proach of dawn, a French counter
attack, brief, relatively inconsid-
erable, but successful and with the
promise of good to come.

Ludendorff's Last Fair Rest.
Again Ludendorff must rest, must
re-fit his army. It is July 15 before
he can attack again. He has been
one week less than four months on
the road to Paris. His hour has
passed, and one swift blow by Mar-
tin ends the German offensive; the
Second Battle of the Marne closes
the German phase of the campaign
of 1918.

Now comes the new method. First,
on July 18, the Marne blow that
wins the Second Marne. Then the
Rawlinson thrust out in Artois, on
Aug. 8 and successive days, which
wins the Third Somme. The armies
all the way from the Vesle to the
Sambre link up with each other and
in turn and in co-ordination strike,
not a colossal blow, but a series of
blows. Sector after sector of the
German front becomes dislocated,
a local collapse becomes a general
oscillation. By the first days of Sep-
tember we have the whole German
front from Ypres right down to
Rheims in movement, in movement
backward. By the last week in Sep-
tember the German is back where he
started from six months before. It
has taken two months to put him

back, starting from ground gained
by him in four months.
But there is no pause, like that of
Ludendorff. On Sept. 13, Pershing
wins St. Mihiel. Two weeks later he
strikes again, this time to the north,
and Gouraud follows him swift on the
other side of the Argonne. Then
King Albert and Plumer in Belgium
strike on Sept. 27 and 28. On the
latter day Horne and Byng join in.
Then Berthelot and Mangin, then
Rawlinson, with Byng and Horne

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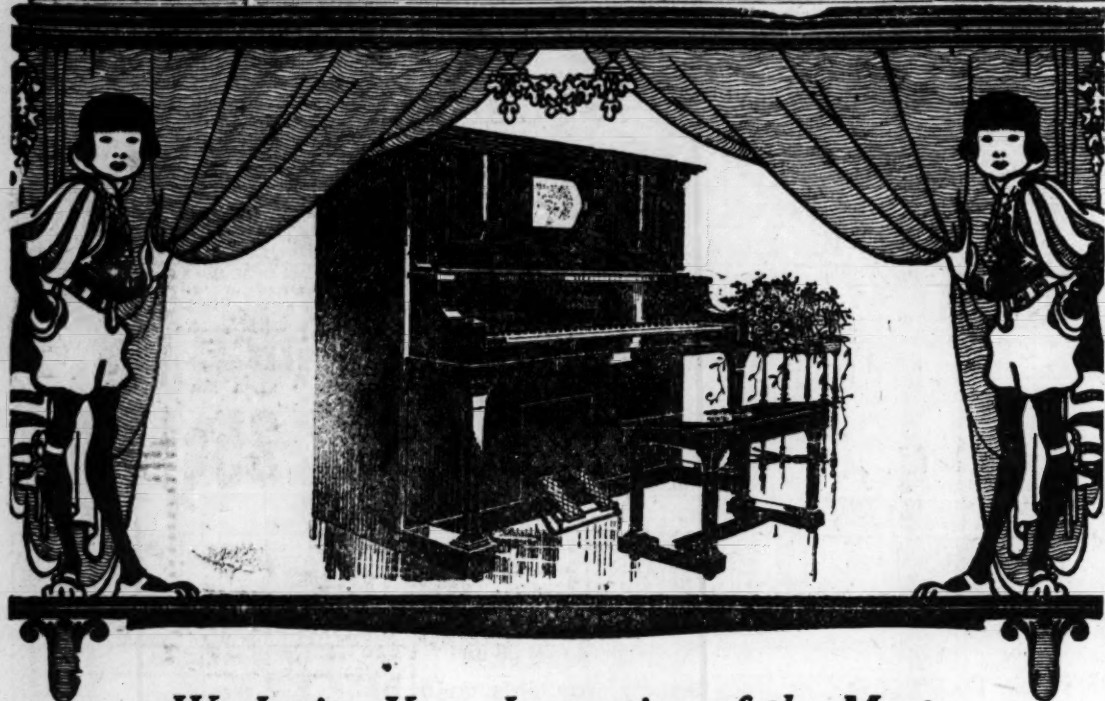
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ALL THE THEATERS TO BE OPEN THIS WEEK

"A Tailor-Made Man" at the American and "A Cure for Curables" at the Jefferson.

For the first time in a long while all of the downtown theaters will be open this week. The American presents tonight the highly successful farce, "A Tailor-Made Man;" the Shubert-Jefferson offers William Hodge in "A Cure for Curables," and the Shubert-Garrick takes over the Griffith war photoplay, "Hearts of the World," which ran five weeks at the American.

"A Tailor-Made Man" was adapted by the late Harry James Smith from a work of the Hungarian playwright, Gabriel Dregey. "The Well-Fitting Dress Coat," but Smith was clever enough to saturate it with Americanism.

Plot of the Play. It relates the adventures of one John Paul Bart, who starts out as a tailor's assistant, comes into the possession of a dress suit given him to press, attends a reception in the borrowed garment, meets a great financier, bluffs his way through three acts, and in the fourth ends as a power in the world of great affairs.

In "A Cure for Curables" William Hodge is said to have found a better vehicle for his familiar talents than even "The Man From Home." It was written by Hodge himself and Earl Derr Biggers, after a story by Corra Harris.

The actor has the part of Dr. Pendergass, to whom an eccentric old hypochondriac of an uncle has bequeathed a sanitarium on condition that he cures 10 patients in 30 days. What with dexterous ingenuity he went about keeping the rebellious patients at the asylum in the first place, and then curing them without their knowledge, is set forth in the play.

"Oh, Look!" a Musical Comedy. To the Shubert-Jefferson next week comes another of the smart musical comedies from the Princess Theater in New York, "Oh, Look!" with the Dolly Sisters and Harry Fox at the head of the cast. The American, during Thanksgiving week, will present "The Country Cousin," by Booth Tarkington and Julian Street, with Alexander Carlisle in the leading part.

The Orpheum this week features a St. Louis actress, Cecil Cunningham, and Horace Goldin, in puzzling humor, "Jim Thorne and the Man Have a Sing and Comedy Turn."

Burns and Frabito present a new act, "The Italian Front." Charles Irwin, formerly of the Royal Inniskillen Fusiliers and winner of the Distinguished Service Medal, appears with Eunice Burnham in "Comin' Through the Rye."

At the Grand this week "Hotel de Fiddle," a miniature musical comedy, and several other acts; at the Standard, "Blue Birds," a musical burlesque.

SIMONDS' REVIEWS

FOCH'S STRATEGY IN LAST BATTLE

Continued From Preceding Page.

aiding him, then Debeney, then King Albert, Plumer and Degouty's French army in Flanders. Then, as the month ends, Pershing and Gouraud again.

Now bear in mind the dates. Ludendorff struck on March 21; he was finally checked on July 18 and 19. Four months of effort precede the failure. Foch opened his offensive on Aug. 8, and in the last days of September Ludendorff advises his Government to make peace proposals; the Government waits a few days more, until the defeat of Oct. 8; then it appeals to President Wilson. Events in other fields have influenced the decision, but two months after the opening of the Foch offensive, its success is no longer doubtful. As the third month closes France is all but free, the Belgian coast is free. Unsurpassed by any Napoleonic Campaign.

What Napoleonic campaign can be hereafter reckoned to surpass that of Foch as a merely military achievement? British, French, American, Italian, Belgian, troops, all perfectly controlled by a single hand, all used with exact co-ordination, all made to contribute to the uttermost of their possibilities and in less than four months—supreme victory, the smashing of the German machine. German army plucked bodily from its vast defenses and flung out of France. On the military side, had any drama ever so fine a fifth act as this, the fifth campaign of the world war?

And as the struggle ends, we in America have a just right to recall with pride that our own young army has been the final reserve of civilization flung on the decisive battlefield, still unready, but rising to supreme heights, to unbelievable achievement, to final success in the face of obstacles which cannot even yet be understood.

Before the achievements of French and British soldiers on the same fields we shall forever stand in awe and admiration. The long agony that preceded the dawn of victory was borne by them with a steady courage and an unflinching devotion which make all praise seem feeble and foolish.

But if we came late, we came in time. If our contribution was small by comparison with that of France or Britain, it was the contribution without which victory was impossible, and our soldiers who spent their blood generously from St. Mihiel to Sedan played a large and honorable role in the final success. (Copyright, 1918, New York Tribune.)

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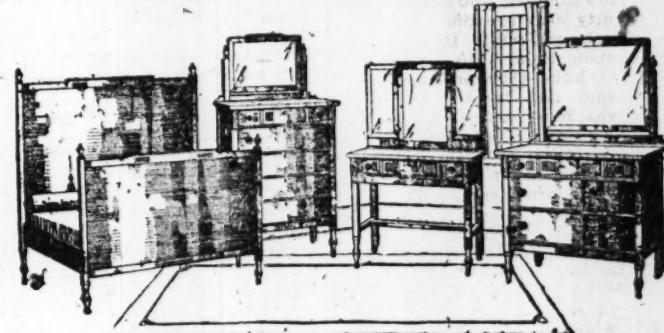
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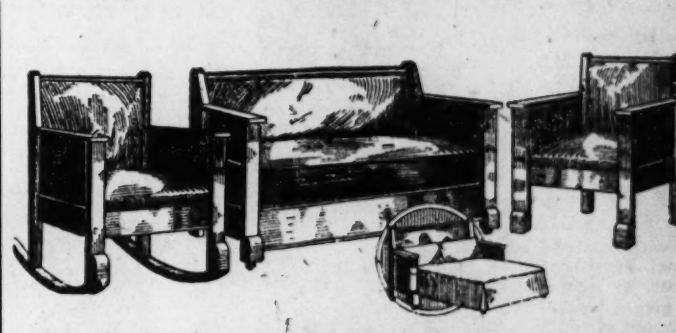
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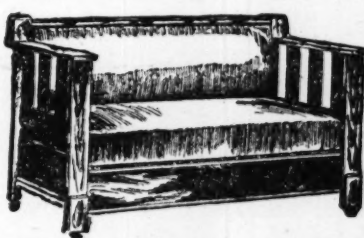
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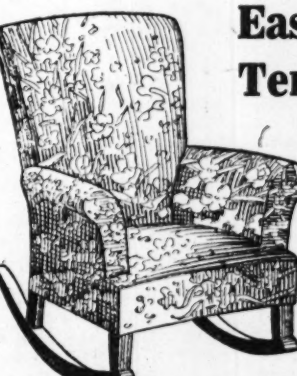


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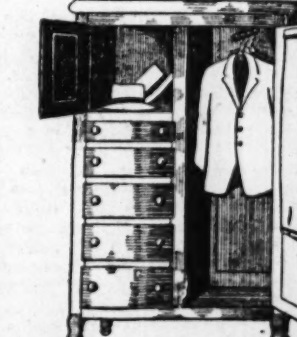
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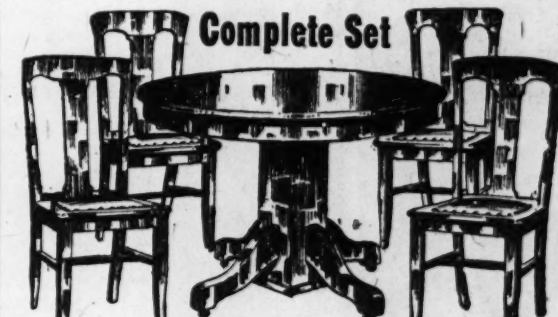
Large hotel and club design. We could not buy them today at the price we are offering them at. Your choice of tapestry or velvet upholstery. This price should urge you to hurry.



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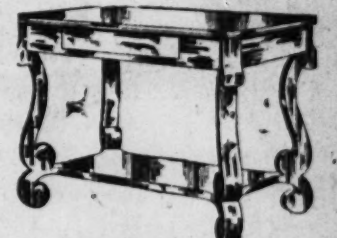


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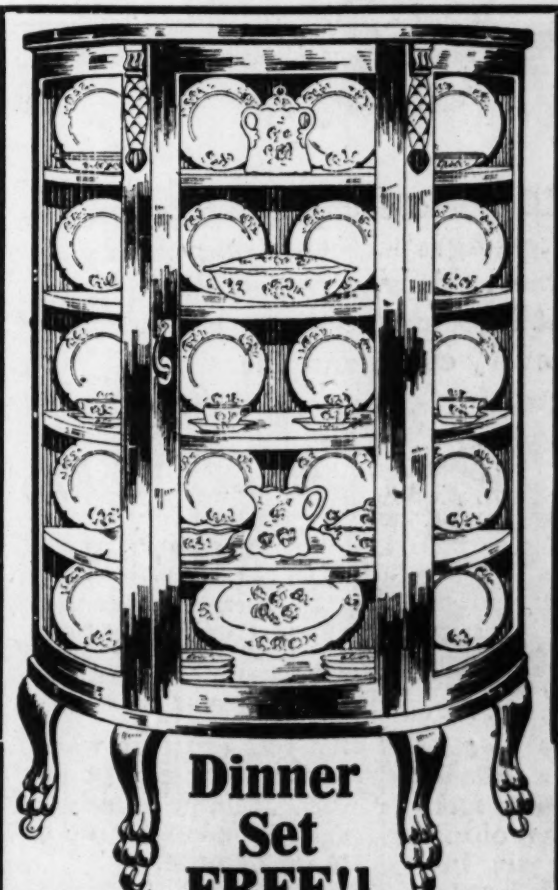
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We show the largest stock of Library Tables in St. Louis—Golden Oak, Mahogany and Fumed Oak finishes. The table advertised is a beautiful Colonial pattern with large drawer and roomy sliding top. Finely finished and solidly constructed. Special for Monday at \$14.95.



Dinner Set FREE!!

We have a tremendous assortment of China Closets in golden oak, mahogany and all period finishes, and as a special Thanksgiving offer we are going to give ABSOLUTELY FREE a handsome dinner set; beautiful patterns and designs. SELECT YOURS **\$19.95** TOMORROW. One pictured here specially priced at... EASY TERMS. Others Up to \$75.00



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Regular \$35 Value

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Sleep 15 or 20 minutes longer every morning. How? That's easy! No fire to build with this heater. A clean stove. No dirt. No clunkers. No soot. No smoke.

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Special \$2.00 Value Doll Swing, Monday, **\$1.23**

RHODES-BURFORD

414 North Broadway—Between Locust and St. Charles

St. Louis Military Bandman Dies.
Frederick X. Clifton, 27 years old, a musician in the band of the Twenty-first Infantry, at Camp Kearney, Mo., died there of pneumonia last Tuesday, according to a notification which has reached his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clifton of 4524 Clax-

ton avenue. He was a pianist and flutist, and was serving in the latter capacity in the band, having enlisted soon after the United States entered the war. His funeral will be held from the home at 10:30 a. m. tomorrow. Besides the parents, a brother and a sister survive him.



Mother! See if your Child's Tongue is Coated.—Listen!

It Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Bilious, and the Stomach Sour, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today cures a bilious child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste; then the liver grows sluggish and the stomach is disordered.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, with tainted breath, restless, doesn't eat heartily, or has a cold, sore throat, or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and you don't worry, because it is a perfectly harm-

less dose, and in a few hours all this constipation-poison, sour bile and fermenting waste-matter will gently move out of the bowels, and you will have a healthy, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of genuine "California Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," made by the California Fig Syrup Co., which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle.—ADV.

"It's in the Heart"

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Try Our Victory Luncheon in Main Dining Room Week Days From 12 to 2 P. M. 75c Japanese Tea Room Now Open. Special Table d'Hôte Dinner Sundays and Thursdays from 6 to 8:30, \$1.50

Complexion Beyond Compare and the Secret

How Beautifying the "Inner" Skin Produces Startling Improvements in Any Complexion. A Simple Method Which Never Fails.

By Valeria Sauri.

YOUR complexion is not merely in the very outer skin. It is deeper than that. It is in that part of the skin immediately underneath the outer layer. Complexion troubles which merely affect the outer layer are as a rule very ineffectual. A method gaining wide use because of its tremendous success lies in the use of zintone, a powder which is simply mixed at home with a little glycerine and dissolved in water. This makes an exquisite cream. The zintone can be secured at any drug store in one-ounce packages. This is also a very economical method. By liberal use of this article, a tremendous difference in the complexion is noted in a few days by the disappearance of muddiness, sallowness, red spots, freckles and other blemishes.

MISS W. E. R.—Hair never falls out unless its vigor is affected. This often results in baldness, and before that happens you will notice that your hair has dead appearance after being washed. A growth has slowed up. The roots of the hair are sick, and no amount of hair tonic will as a rule do much good. The proper method, and one which rarely fails, is to use, say, an ounce of betaniquel in a half pint of bay rum and a half pint of water. This makes a wonderful hair-root developer. The hair will grow falling and bald spots will fall out. The hair will begin to grow fast and thick, and show great vigor in its appearance. The betaniquel can be secured at any drug store.

"HEADWASH"—Your hair appears to need nothing more than to have that "dead" or fatty accumulation on the scalp removed. It is smothering the growth of hair. These accumulations can be removed in no other way than by being dissolved. For this purpose use a teaspoonful of eggal in a cup of water and use as a head-wash. It will make your scalp muscularly clean. This makes the most luxurious head-wash you can ever get. Even ordinary shampooing is usually ineffectual for the purpose. For twenty-five cents enough

eggal can be secured in an original package to last for a dozen or more of these fine head-washes. It will let your hair breathe, and it will make a tremendous difference in its growth.

MRS. G. C. H.—You can now dissolve runny hair away instead of burning it off and leaving the skin red and irritated. Neither do you have to shave off the hair any more. Shaving makes hair grow faster, and becomes more brittle, stiff and discomforting. Just moisten the hair to be removed with a few drops of a solution. It is absolutely safe, and is as easy and delightful to use as a face lotion. The hair will shrivel up so that you can just wipe them right off. The skin is left beautifully soft, smooth and white, like that of a baby. It makes the removal of superfluous hairs a real delight, whereas before it was a drudgery. The safe solution can be obtained at any drug store. For safety and real comfort it is the only thing to use. It never fails.

MISS F. K. L.—Making the pores smaller has a direct and tremendous result in the elimination of wrinkles. The reason for this is that when the pores become smaller the texture of the skin becomes finer, and the tissues are thereby braced up. Coarse skins are usually full of wrinkles. Just try this method once and you will realize that you have found a powerful wrinkle secret. A two-ounce package of eggal from your druggist, and mix with one ounce of betaniquel and one ounce of glycerine in a half pint of water. Apply this cream, and in a few days on the face every day and you will be amazed to find the difference it will make in your appearance. It is the most valuable of all skin treatments. Thousands of women are now using it. Try it.—ADVERTISEMENT.

COL. M' MAHON WRITES OF HUGE SUPPLY BASE

St. Louisian in Command of 11,000 Men at Sulpice d'Izon—U. S. Prepared to Fight Forever.

An interesting letter in which he describes the magnitude of the United States Army supply depot at Sulpice d'Izon, France, of which he is commander, has been received from Col. E. J. McMahon, former commander of the 138th (St. Louis) Infantry, by his brother, Thomas McMahon. In the letter, dated Oct. 19, Col. McMahon tells of meeting several St. Louisians. He writes: "This is the second time today I have started to write you. Have been interrupted by about 25 visitors, military attaches from a dozen neutral countries in Europe and South America. They are traveling all over France, visiting the points of military interest, and this is one of the prize places in France."

"We are growing so fast that we now are the largest warehouse and supply camp in France, and it sure opened their eyes. We put them on a flat car and took them round the camp. It is three miles long, one immense warehouse after another, and nine rows (of warehouses) wide. Believe me, they think we are prepared to fight forever."

Warehouses Built While You Wait. "The only bad thing—being Sunday—we don't want any more work than necessary. If it had been a week day I would have had things arranged and have turned loose about 1000 Heines, and would have come pretty near erecting a 50x500x foot warehouse while they waited."

"We took them into our prison camp (I have 1800 prisoners here at present) and let them see for themselves how well the prisoners are fed and quartered. I even gave them permission to speak to the prisoners and many of the officers did so. The prisoners all said they were being well taken care of and fed excellently. They sure are. We feed them exactly the same as our own men and as all our men who are working 10 hours a day get an added 15 per cent ration, these Germans are allowed the same. As a matter of fact, they are tickled to death to be here, and I don't believe they would go back if they could. The officers questioned some of the prisoners about their age. Some look very young, but all claim to be 19 or older. However, I think one admitted in the end that he was only 17."

Prisoners After Two Hours. "We have some of the batch captured only a month ago at St. Michel. I think some of them had been in the trenches all of two hours, just arrived from training grounds for the new youngsters, when the Americans came over and took them away from such dangerous places."

"We then took the visitors to my camp bakery. We only have half a bakery company, but they turn out 22,000 pounds of bread a day, real honest-to-goodness white bread. Our army is the only one over here getting white bread, so the bunch sort of stood round until I gave them a couple of loaves for their dinner on the train tomorrow."

"There were representatives from Denmark, Holland, Sweden, Switzerland, Spain, Peru, Argentina and three or four other nations, so I think they will be able to report back that we are in the war until it is ended—and that we will end it right."

Commands 11,000 Men. "I have about 11,000 men under my command right now, and we will grow from time to time. Probably will add several features to the project in addition to the warehouses. We have about 100 of the latter and about 50 to be built."

"I see an occasional St. Louisian. Col. E. J. Spencer is Chief of Staff of this base section. Maj. Harry McBride dropped in one or two weeks ago and still is at Bordeaux. Judge Lee Meriwether was in some time ago."

HENRY WATTERSON SUGGESTS EPITAPH FOR THE KAISER

Famous Editor Predicts That in 35 Years There Will Be No More Kings.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—On Sept. 3, 1915, Henry Watterson wrote an editorial for the Courier-Journal in which he used the phrase "To hell with the Hohenzollerns and the Hapsburgs!" It was said to be the first use of the phrase in this country. So when the news came that the Kaiser had fled Germany, the present editors called up Watterson, now retired, and asked him to comment. He dictated: "The Courier-Journal's adjuration touching the Hohenzollerns and the Hapsburgs has been answered sooner than I expected. Its prophecy that in 35 years there will not be a crowned head in Europe will also come true. It has been for a long time obvious that autocracy was on the down grade. This is a poor era for Kings, Kaisers and other figureheads. The world is moving toward self-government. Each man thinks himself to wear the purple. Let us put upon the Kaiser's tomb Ben Jonson's inscription over the grave of a dead pig: "Whilst he lived he lived in clover; When he died he died all over."

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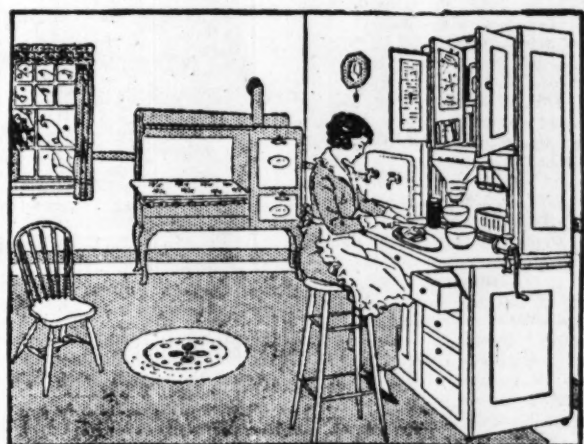
Push-button Rest Chair, like illustration. Choice of mahogany, fumed or golden oak. Upholstered in Imperial leather.

HOOSIER KITCHEN CABINET



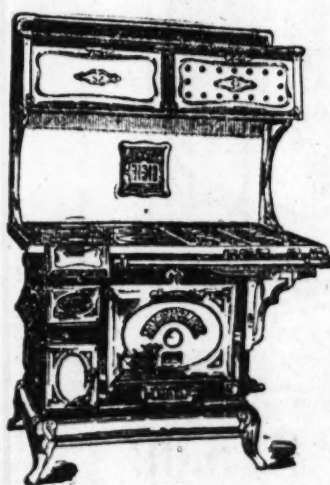
The Old Way was to be a slave to the kitchen, and wear one's life out in a clutter of work.

Come and see this scientific time and labor-saving cabinet. The Hoosier brings your whole kitchen to your fingers' ends—40 labor-saving features. You can own a Hoosier by paying only one dollar a week.



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TOTAL CASUALTIES UP TO DATE ARE 79,923

This Includes Latest Figures of Marines—List of Four From St. Louis and Vicinity.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—The official casualty list made public by the War Department last night is accompanied by an official summary of army casualties, reaching a total of 75,997. This, added to the latest Marine Corps today, 3926, makes an aggregate of 79,923 for both branches.

The items of today's list are: Killed in action, 277; died from wounds, 169; died of disease, 47; died from accident and other causes, 13; died from airplane accident, 2; missing in action, 151; wounded severely, 98; wounded, degree undetermined, 210; wounded slightly, 18; total, 985. The revised official army totals are:

Killed in action (including 396 at sea).....14,264
Died from wounds.....5,507
Died of disease.....6,139
Died from accident and other causes.....1,480

Total deaths.....27,390
Missing in action (including prisoners).....7,961
Wounded.....40,918

Total army casualties.....75,997

Names from St. Louis and vicinity, Missouri, and Illinois outside of Chicago and suburbs, are:

St. Louis and Vicinity.

Killed in action, Sergt. John C. Kuntz, 4640 Labadie avenue (previously announced); Mechanic John H. Plueck, 5825 North Market street (previously announced); Frank H. Heinecke, New Athens, Ill. (previously announced); Adolf Smelek, 1228 North Ninth street, East St. Louis.

Died from wounds—Barney Brainman, 1301 South Eighth street.

Died of disease—Terence J. Gallagher, 2218A Madison street.

Died from accident or other cause—Lieut. Frank W. Long, 5610 Bartmer avenue (previously announced); Corp. Riley W. Vernatti, 2223 Missouri avenue, Granite City.

Wounded severely—Joseph M. Malecek, 2732 Geyer avenue.

Wounded (degree undetermined)—Edward H. Aye, 925 Salisbury street.

Missouri.

Killed in action—Sergt. Ralph P. Tanner, Kansas City; Corp. Harvey Castled, Doniphan; Corp. John E. High, Boynton; Luther R. Caldwell, Dudley; Henry M. Hellen, Lancaster; Lawrence C. Lenauer, Union; Leonard R. Miller, Richmond; Joseph B. Veit, Osage Bend; Mack Rackley, Bradley; Louis R. Schwartz, Warrenton; James W. Skiles, Mountain Grove; George M. Phillips, Bethany.

Died from wounds—Christ Hegolan, Grandin; Glen D. Ulmer, Hopkins; Benton Webb, Elmont.

Died of disease—Alva S. Dryer, Urbana; Joseph Mott, Amity.

Died from accident or other cause—Sergt. Lillard Plinio, Osborn.

Wounded severely—Corp. William R. Bergman, St. Joseph; William F. Evans, Kansas City.

Wounded (degree undetermined)—Lieut. Lynn W. Farrar, Braymer; Harry F. Dye, Rockville; Nathan J. Riddle, Proteem; Lawrence B. McCall, Tarkio.

Illinois.

Killed in action—Sergt. Allen B. Lawrence, West Frankfort; Sergt. Clarence M. Seards, Custer Park; Corp. Marshall N. Purrucker; Wilson Cole, Nokomis; Harry L. Doty, Spring Bay; Ernest R. Kanouse, Kankakee; Karl Sawicki, Kankakee.

Died from wounds—Corp. Edward A. Kniery, Litchfield; Hugh R. Cassidy, Fillmore; Adolph Erickson, Geneseo; Fred R. Jansson, Nokomis; Henry Schroeder, Quincy.

Died of disease—Sergt. Charles Luster, Harrisburg; Charles Schwader, Bloomington; George Schmieg, Prairie du Rocher.

Missing in action—Corp. Dewitt Housel, Westburg, Springs.

Wounded severely—Corp. John B. Gerrity, Milan; Edward Berry, Rockford; Carl E. Misher, Pearl City; Harm Rohlf, Lincoln.

Wounded (degree undetermined)—Sergt. Oliver W. Keene, Bloomington; Corp. Archie Scroggins, Cornland; John A. Bonnell, Lamolite; Tenjus Havener, Robert; Roy L. Jackson, Stone Fort; Samuel E. Leavell, Junction; Everette H. Phillips, St. Joseph; Richard O. Lundin, Rockford.

WAR PROBLEMS FOR PUPILS

Children Will Have to Work Out Savings Stamps Examples.

More than 300 special war problems devoted to Thrift and War Savings Stamps will feature elementary public school work in arithmetic the balance of this year. These problems have been provided by school officials and are being sent to schools this week.

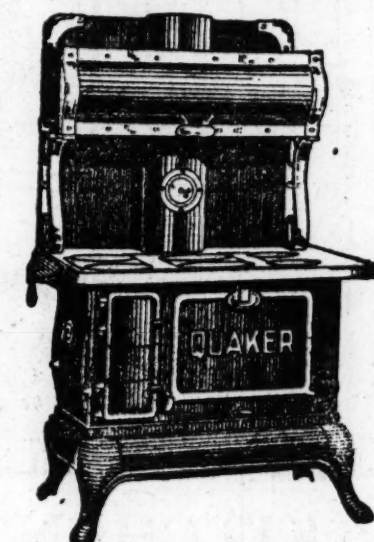
Increasing interest of pupils in war activities has had a desirable effect upon the study of arithmetic. Teachers have resorted to arithmetic work as a means of conservation, the importance of saving money, food, fuel, clothing and the patriotic duty of investing in Government securities. The effectiveness of the work is shown by the fact that nearly 1400,000 in Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps has been subscribed through the schools.

Ancona Survivor to Speak.

The annual meeting of the Women's Committee of the Soldiers' Sailors' and Marines' Club will be held Tuesday, at 10:30 a. m. at Hotel Statler. Officers will be elected. The speaker will be Dr. Cecile Griel, at the head of the Red Cross of Italy and one of the few survivors of the torpedoed Ancona.

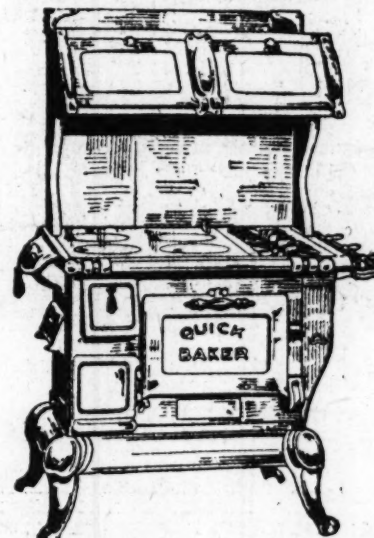


Newest "Quaker" Cast-Iron Range
\$2.50 Cash—75c a Week



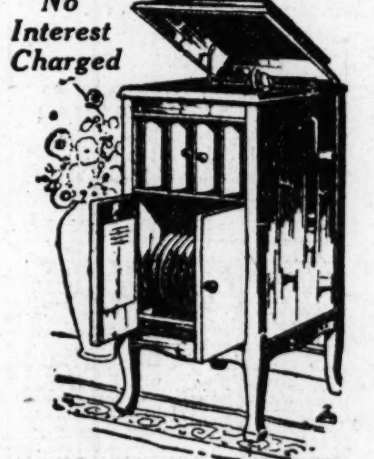
BUILT of cast iron throughout—massive in design—has high warming closet with drop door—large oven—substantial linings—and, being built of cast iron, will retain its heat and save your money on coal bills. A great value at \$49.50

A Coal and Gas Range All in One
\$4.00 Cash—\$1.00 a Week



THIS "Quick Baker" is really two ranges in one—permits you to cook and bake with coal or gas as you prefer—built of polished blue steel—coal section has four electric gas section has three star burners—oven is heated by coal or gas—priced at \$64.00

Columbia Grafonola
Terms—\$5.00 a Month
No Interest Charged



EXACTLY as illustrated—a full cabinet Columbia Grafonola—beautiful in design and exquisite in tone quality. Has numbered compartments with ample record capacity. You can make no mistake in letting us send this high-class instrument to your home at our price of..... \$75.00

Massive Gold-Finish Bed



\$18.50
\$1.50 Cash—\$1.50 Month
MADE of metal throughout, in Varnis Martin gold finish; has 4 1/2-inch posts, 4 1/2-inch caps—see it.

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YOUR special attention is called to our unusually complete showing of Stoves and Ranges—we show all the leading makes, including Charter Oak, Superior, Garland, Favorite and Bridge-Beach—all at most reasonable prices and on terms to suit your convenience. Open an account with us this week.

Library Table With Art Lamp

\$1.00 Cash—
\$1.00 Monthly

HERE is one of the best values we have offered this season—a handsome Library Table, exactly as illustrated—shown in fumed oak, golden oak or mahogany, as preferred—supplied with drawer for stationery and broad lower shelf for books and magazines.



\$14.50

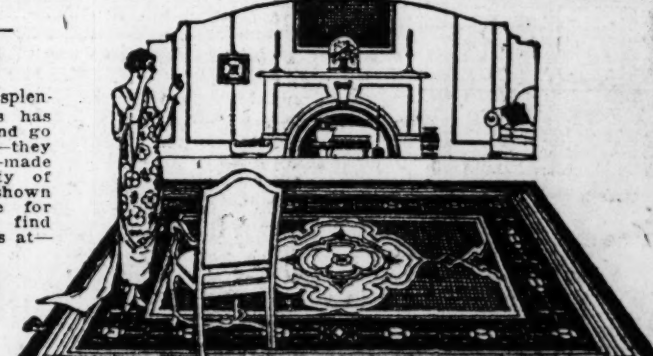
WITH each of these tables we include an artistic lamp, like cut—has ornamental stand with art glass shade—and fitted for gas or electricity, as preferred.

Handsome Brussels Room Rugs

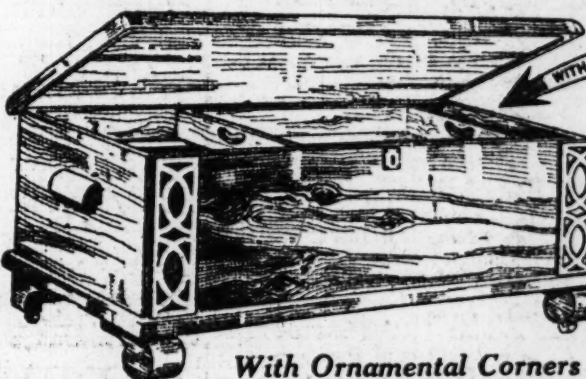
\$2.00 Cash—
50c a Week

A NEW lot of these splendid Room Rugs has just been received, and go on sale tomorrow—they are full 9x12 ft. size—made of a durable quality of Brussels fabric—and shown in patterns suitable for any room—you will find them excellent values at—

\$24.50



Chinese Chippendale Cedar Chest



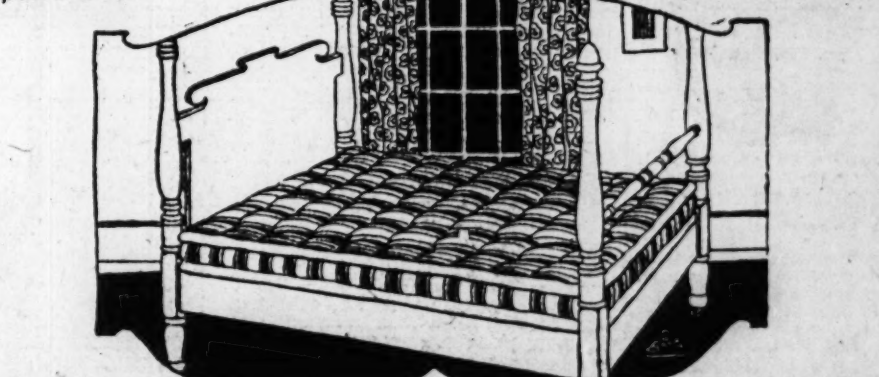
\$1.50 Cash
\$1.50 Monthly

THIS Chinese Chippendale Cedar Chest is good size—has ornamental corners, large sliding tray, strong handle grips, close fitting top and is supplied with casters—an actual \$24.00 value which we offer for only

\$18.75

Special Sale of Liberty Mattresses

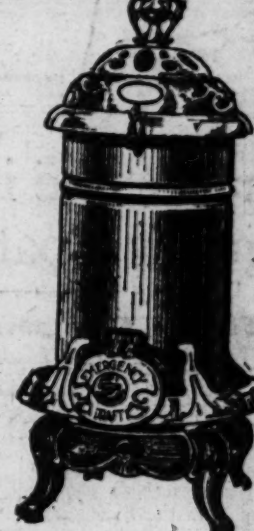
\$1.00 Cash—\$1.00 a Month



IN order to supply the insistent demand for a high-class Mattress at a reasonable price we have had these Liberty Mattresses made to our special order. They are full 45 lbs. in weight—made of combination layer felt and fiber—covered with good ticking and strongly bound. Best mattress value we ever offered at..... \$9.75

Hot-Blast Air-Tight Heater

\$1.50 Cash—\$1.50 Month



THIS is a Heater you can buy with the absolute confidence it will give the utmost satisfaction—built on the latest hot-blast principle—will hold its fire over night—nicely nickel trimmed and will be found an exceptional value at our special price of only..... \$18.75

Bachelor Chiffonier

\$1.00 Cash—50c a Week



THE most practical piece of furniture you could select for a man's room—exactly like cut—combines a chiffonier and wardrobe all in one—has five drawers and hat box—and the wardrobe section is supplied with coat hangers. It is thoroughly well constructed—in golden oak finish—and has no equal anywhere at this price..... \$18.50

Kitchen Cabinet

\$2.00 Cash—\$2.00 a Month



YOU are sure to be delighted with this Kitchen Cabinet—it's exactly like cut—has white enameled china closet, with art glass doors—built-in metal floor bin with after-noon compartment for kitchen utensils—in bread and cake drawer—best scores of other improvements and conveniences—priced at..... \$32.50

Orpheus Player-Piano

Terms to Suit
GREATEST Player-Piano value we ever offered—an instrument of the highest type—full 88-note size—perfect in tone and action—comes complete with 24 rolls of music, scarf and bench—on terms to suit—at \$550.00
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Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats

Stylish models in newest Fall patterns and colors, and priced..... \$20 up

BOYS' SUITS

In just the styles they like, are priced..... \$7.50 to \$15

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New Solution Discovered by Georgia College Professor Designed to Kill Deadly "Flu" Germ—First Used It to Protect Own Family—Just a Few Drops Inhaled From Pocket Handkerchief Disinfects Nose and Throat.

AS announced in yesterday's papers, Wilson's Solution, the new preventive treatment for Spanish Influenza which has been used in checking the epidemic in the South, is now on sale in St. Louis, and will be given as rapid distribution as possible throughout the United States. The solution, or "Anti-Flu," as it is more commonly called, was compounded by Professor Robert C. Wilson, for eleven years head of the department of pharmacy of a leading Southern university, for the protection of himself and his family against the deadly "flu" germ. The immunity of the Wilson family and their circle of friends, which followed the use of the solution, made it famous overnight. On account of his university connection and his high standing as an educator, the people of his home city began clamoring for it just as soon as it became known that he had perfected the formula. Leading physicians, bacteriologists and bacteriologists give the preparation their unqualified endorsement, and are recommending it to their patients. Although for many years many other disinfectants now commonly used, it is nonpoisonous and the odor, although very pungent, is not unpleasant. A few drops of the solution inhaled from a pocket handkerchief, or frequent intervals will disinfect the nose and throat. Professor Wilson strongly recommends spraying the nose and throat night and

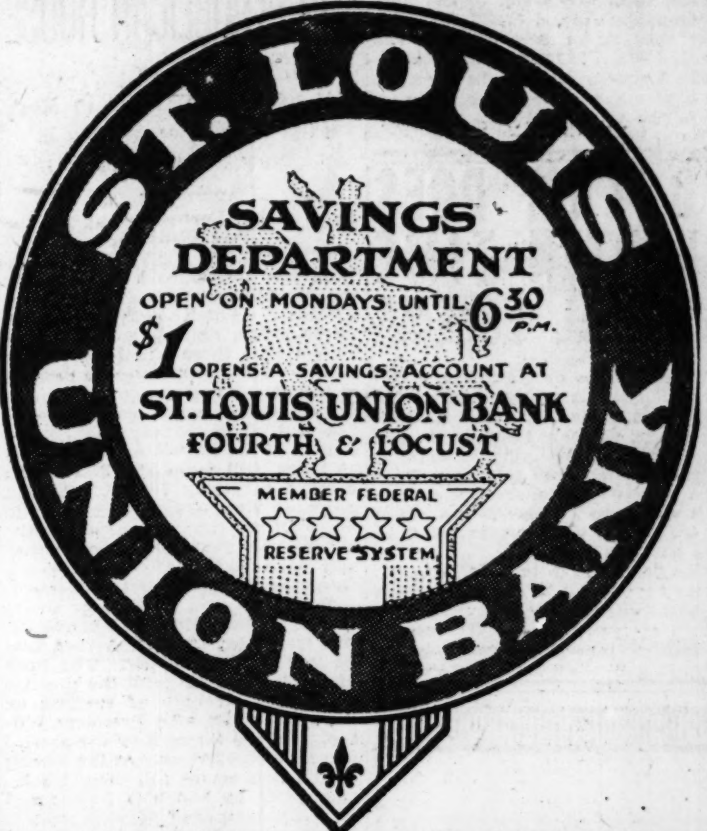
LEAGUE OF NATIONS PLAN AS SEEN BY T. R.

Folly to Discuss It Overmuch Before Prior Obstacles to Peace Are Overcome, He Says.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 16.—Former President Roosevelt, writing in the Kansas City Star, asserts that overmuch discussion of the league of nations plan supported by President Wilson might be not only futile, but mischievous. His article follows:
There are so many prior things to do and so much uncertainty as to the form of agreement for permanently increasing the chances of peace that it is difficult to do more than make a general statement as to that which is desirable and possibly feasible in the league of nations plan. It would certainly be folly to discuss it overmuch until some of the existing obstacles to peace are overcome. That such discussion may be not only futile, but mischievous, has been vividly shown in the past six weeks. During the first week of October, President Wilson and Germany agreed on the famous 14 points of Mr. Wilson as a basis for peace. But this agreement amounted to nothing whatever, except for a moment it gave Germany the hope that she could escape disaster by a negotiated peace. The emphatic protest of our own people caused this hope to vanish, and just five weeks later peace came, not on Mr. Wilson's 14 points, but on Gen. Foch's 20-odd points, which had all the directness, the straightforwardness and the unequivocal clearness which the 14 points strikingly lacked.
Horror of War Very Real.
Nevertheless it is well to begin considering now the things which we think can be done and the things which we think cannot be done in making a League of Nations. In the first place we ought to realize that the population of the world clearly understands that in this war they have been involved to a degree never hitherto known. In consequence the horror of the war is very real, and people are at least thinking of the need of co-operation with much greater fixity of purpose and of understanding than ever before.
Of course, fundamentally war and peace are matters of the heart rather than of organization, and any declaration of peace league which represents the high flown sentimentality of pacifists and doctrinaires will be worse than useless; but if without in the smallest degree sacrificing our belief in a sound and intense national aim we all join with the people of England, France and Italy, and with the people in smaller states who in practice show themselves able to steer equally clear of Bolshevism and of Kaiserism, we may be able to make a real and much needed advance in the international organization. The United States cannot again completely withdraw into its shell. We need not mix in all European quarrels nor assume all spheres of interest everywhere to be ours, but we ought to join with the other civilized nations of the world, in some scheme that in a time of great stress would offer a likelihood of obtaining just settlements that will avert war.
Therefore, in my judgment, the United States at the peace conference ought to be able to co-operate effectively with the British and French and Italian Governments to support a practical and effective plan which won't attempt the impossible, but which will represent a real step forward.
Limitations in Membership.
Probably the first essential would be to limit the league at the outset to the allies, to the people with whom we have been operating and with whom we are certain we can co-operate in the future. Neither Turkey nor Austria need now be considered as regards such a league, and we should clearly understand that Bolshevist Russia is, and that Bolshevist Germany would be, as undesirable in such a league as the Germans and Russians of the Hohenzollerns and Romanoffs. Bolshevism is just as much in the international menace as Kaiserism. Until Germany and Russia have proved by a course of conduct extending over years that they are capable of entering such a league in good faith, so that we can count upon their fulfilling their duties in it, it would be merely foolish to take them in.
The league, therefore, would have to be based on the combination among the allies of the present war—together with any peoples, like the Czechoslovaks, who have shown that they are fully entitled to enter into such a league if they desire to do so. Each nation should absolutely reserve to itself its right to establish its own tariff and general economic policy and absolutely ought to control such vital questions as immigration and citizenship and the form of government it prefers. Then it would probably be best for certain spheres of interest to be reserved to each nation or group of nations.
Special United States Interests.
The northernmost portion of South America and Mexico and Central America, all of them fronting on the Panama Canal, have a special interest in the United States, more interest than they can have for any European or Asiatic Power. The general conduct of Eastern Asiatic policy bears a most close relationship to Japan. The same thing is true as regards other nations and certain of the peculiarly African and European questions. Everything outside of what is thus reserved, which affects any two members of the league or affects one member of the league and outsiders, should be decided by some species of court, and all the people of the league should guarantee to use their whole strength in enforcing the decision.
This, of course, means that all the free peoples must keep reasonably

prepared for defense and for helping well-behaved nations against the nations or hordes which represent despotism, barbarism and anarchy. As far as the United States is concerned, I believe we should keep our navy to the highest possible point of efficiency and have it second in size to that of Great Britain alone, and we should then have universal obligatory military training for all our young men for a period of, say, nine months during some one year between the ages of 19 and 23 inclusive.
Antidote Against Militarism.
This would not represent militarism, but an antidote against militarism. It would not represent a great expense. On the contrary, it would mean to give to every citizen of our country an education which would fit him to do his work as a citizen as no other type of education could. There are some nations with which there would not be the slightest difficulty in going much further than it would be perfectly safe to enter into universal arbitration treaties with the British empire, for example, reserving such rights only as Australia and Canada themselves would reserve inside the British empire; but there could not be more outside peoples with whom it would be safe to go much further than outlined.
If we only made this one kind of agreement we could keep it, and we should make no agreement that we would not and could not keep. More essential than anything else is it for us to remember that in matters of this kind an ounce of practical performance is worth a long string of windy rhetorical promises.
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Swiss Strikers Capitulate.
By the Associated Press.
BERNE, Friday, Nov. 15.—The general strike in Switzerland, after lasting three days, has been settled by the absolute capitulation of the strikers. Work has been resumed everywhere.



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10c Comp. Cathartic Pills, 1 Free	1 Free	50c Liquid Cure Tablets, 3 for 57c	50c De Witt's Kidney Pills, 3 for 57c	50c De Witt's Kidney Pills, 3 for 57c	50c De Witt's Kidney Pills, 3 for 57c
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"Black Kid Shoes"

Genuine Black Vici Kid, Button or Lace
Misses', 1 1/2 to 2, \$2.25
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CHILD'S BUTTOK, 3 to 5, \$1.50
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"Boys' Dress Shoes"

Lace or Button.
"Everwear Chrome" leather soles; the best leather put into shoes; on special sale—
Size 1 to 6, \$2.65
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Mumson Last. Men's army pattern Tan Shoes; Goodyear welted single soles; regular \$5.00 values. A very special value at \$4.50

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THE BEST LIGHT WORK SHOES
TAN ELK, welt soles, rubber heels, \$4.00
BLACK OR TAN ELK, double waterproof soles, \$3.00
BLACK ELK, single waterproof soles, \$2.50
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"MEN'S HEAVY WORK SHOES"

Extra Box calf, army last, 2 full \$6.00
Special value, waterproofed, \$5.00
\$3.00 VALUE, tan or black chrome elk, waterproofed soles, \$4.00
\$3.50 VALUE, black chrome elk, 1/2 double oak soles, \$3.00
\$3.00 VALUE, black chrome elk, oak soles, \$2.65

DINING-ROOM FURNITURE

An Immense Stock at Savings of 40% to 50%

Here's an extraordinary opportunity to re-furnish your dining room for Thanksgiving with beautiful furniture at bona-fide savings of 40% to 50%. When you invite your friends for that Thanksgiving dinner be sure your dining room has that real Thanksgiving air of hospitality. A great stock of dining-room furniture which was to have arrived in time for our manufacturers War-time Emergency Sale did not arrive until a few days ago—too late for the sale—this big stock must be disposed of at once, and we are offering it to the St. Louis public at actually far below the old 1917 prices. Be sure to see these rare values Monday.



Exquisite Eight-Piece William and Mary \$210 Dining-Room Set

Here is the classic "real" William and Mary set ever seen in this city at a hundred dollars of this price. It is THE VALUE that will astonish all St. Louis. The magnificent set is just as illustrated—charming, extra large buffet, large 12 ft. extension table and six luxuriously upholstered genuine leather seat chairs to match—just see it.

The designer of this William and Mary period suite showed his master craftsmanship in every feature and detail. The finish is simply superb, being that rich warm nut brown walnut so popular now. Every piece is a work of art in itself. Its real value is \$210.00. Priced in this great sale at only \$129.00.

\$129

\$2 Weekly



\$105 DAVENETTE SET

This is truly magnificent furniture, the richness of the scroll arm design is heightened by the massive construction and superb mahogany finish. The finest homes in St. Louis will be proud to own one of these magnificent sets. Set is just as shown above. The luxurious upholstery will appeal to the most discriminating tastes—has full ruffled front—covered in splendid quality genuine Morocco leather. When opened, Davenette is a full-size, comfortable bed that sets high off the floor—inner steel construction. Arm chair and rocker to match. Priced in this week at only \$73.

RUGS at TREMENDOUS SAVINGS

\$32.50 Tapestry Brussels Rugs—Beautiful floral and oriental designs; 9x12 ft. size; a remarkable bargain at only \$24.75	\$40 Axminster Rugs—Size 9x12 ft.; the lowest price quoted for Axminster rugs in the last eight months; now priced here at \$29.75
\$42.50 Brussels Rugs—9x12 ft. size; splendid quality; now priced at \$33.50	\$50 Axminster Rugs—Size 9x12 ft.; beautiful design; now priced at \$39.75
\$50.00 Velvet Rugs—9x12 ft. size; great wearing quality; now priced at \$40.25	\$65 Axminster Rugs—Size 9x12 ft.; the finest quality; now priced here at \$51.50

This \$20 Hot Blast Heater \$16.75

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This improved type of Kitchen Cabinet is the greatest time and labor saving article ever put on the market. It has a place for everything—pots, pans and groceries; equipped with a flour bin and metal glass spice jars, etc.—a regular \$30 value—see it.

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50c Weekly
Incredible as it may seem, you can come here Monday and secure an all-steel, gold-lacquered bed, steel spring and heavy comfortable mattress—all for only \$19.75. Be sure to see it.

Directors of Four-Minute Men to Meet.
L. L. Leonard, director of the four-minute men of Missouri, will attend a meeting of state directors of the four-minute men of the Middle

Western states and the local chairmen of Illinois at Chicago Thursday and Friday. It is expected that the meeting will plan the work of the four-minute men, pending peace parleys.

Aviator Killed Was Former East St. Louisan.
Lieut. William V. Macurdy, an aviator, who was killed Thursday in a 1000-foot fall at Barron Field, Fort Worth, Tex., was a son of the Rev. William Macurdy, a Methodist minister residing at Marion, Ill. The family resided in East St. Louis when Lieut. Macurdy entered the air service a year ago. His father was pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church.

WORRY FOR GOVERNOR IN REPUBLICAN HOUSE

Riot of Politics Likely to Mark First Legislative Session in New State Capitol.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 16.—With the Republicans dominating the lower branch of the next General Assembly, which convenes seven weeks hence, there is a settled conviction that there will be a riot of politics in the first session to be held in the State's new capitol. It is evident that the Republicans, who have not had much to say in either branch of the Legislature in the past 10 years, will make the best of the coming gathering from a partisan point of view. They will want to make all the capital possible for the election two years hence, when they will make another attempt to elect a Governor and other State officers.

Two years ago, with Judge Henry Lamm of Sedalia as their candidate, they ran Gov. Gardner a race that he will long remember. The head of the ticket, even with the prestige and added strength of running on the same ballot with President Wilson, squeezed through by the narrow margin of 2263 votes. At the session of the Legislature following his inauguration he had both houses and a goodly number of appointments to distribute among the faithful, while at the coming meeting he will have but few, if any, jobs, and a hostile house to make matters more interesting. Besides, it will be a revising session, which means that the Governor will have the Legislature on his hands nearly twice as long as usual. He will, of course, have to depend on the house to put through such measures as he may recommend, and there will be no appropriations made without its sanction.

Wing-Clipping Being Talked.
Already there is talk of investigations, curtailing of appropriations and clipping of wings here and there. One of the departments that may be subjected to the Republican searchlight is the Board of Public Utilities, with its large staff of technical men and other employees.

The assembly will be asked to reimburse the St. Louis and other citizens who guaranteed the expenses of the Missouri Council of Defense. This fund of \$100,000 is well-nigh exhausted, and the guarantors will, of course, look to the assembly to return the money.

Kansas City Republicans, who are trying to build up an organization, have a plan of curbing the Shannon and Pendergast machines which they will urge at the coming session, according to advices from that city. They hope to have the election laws so amended as to permit the raffish of election judges and clerks from one ward to serve in another. They say the Republicans who are appointed in the tougher districts in that city are really camouflaged Democrats, who take orders only from the Democratic bosses. By getting such officials from other wards, they figure that the vote of their party will show a substantial increase.

Look to Hackmann as Guide.
Republicans throughout the State are looking to State Auditor Hackmann for inspiration and guidance when it comes to playing politics during the legislative session. Hackmann is the only Republican official in the Capitol and spends much of his time looking for Democratic shortcomings. While doing this he does not overlook his own political welfare. A few days ago, when the Governor was selecting his committees which have to be appointed in advance of the session, Hackmann was seemingly on very close terms with Gov. Gardner. When the Junketing Committee was named it was observed that Thomas B. Hodges of Warren County was on the list. Hackmann hails from Warren, and, of course, the county papers told how well he was looking after his county over at Jefferson.

What to do with the Tax Commission is another question that will receive attention from Democrats as well as Republicans. This commission, created at the urgent request of Gov. Gardner at the last session, has apparently been unable to get anywhere in reforming the taxing system of Missouri. When it attempted to place a full valuation on property it bumped up against the State Board of Equalization, which resented the attempt of the commission to interfere with its prerogative of equalizing values. The commission expected to materially increase the revenue of the State by taxing corporate and other property on a full valuation basis, but its system went on the rocks when the Equalization Board objected. As matters stand now the Tax Commission is a large and expensive organization, with plans that will not work out when opposed by the State Board of Equalization.

Protect Head Against Cold.
Nature's Grim's Wig Shop, 14 North Fourth street—Adv.

WOMAN HELD FOR DISLOYALTY
Jeweler's Wife Under \$1000 Bond for Violating Espionage Act.
Mrs. Lena Mueller of 3500 Washington boulevard, wife of Henry Mueller, a jeweler at 520 North Grand avenue, was arrested yesterday on an indictment charging her with violating the espionage act by using language intended to create disloyalty and to obstruct recruiting. The allegation is that she said to Mrs. L. S. Chaudet that she hoped every United States troop ship crossing the ocean would be sunk. The indictment was returned a month ago, but was not made public. Mrs. Mueller was released on \$1000 bond.

Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry on credit. Louis Bros. & Co., 24 floor, 200 N. Main street. Open evenings.

SOCIAL REGISTER FOR 1919 OUT

330 Men Listed Are in U. S. Army or French Fighting Forces.
The St. Louis Social Register for 1919 is out. It shows that 258 members of families listed in the book are in the United States army, 65 in

the United States navy, six in the British army, one in the French army and 12 men and seven women in the Red Cross service.

In the last year 142 persons listed in the Social Register have married, as compared with 152 in 1917. Twenty-eight women and the same number of men have died, compared

with 27 women and 49 men last year.

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The very newest Fall and Winter styles—colors and materials.

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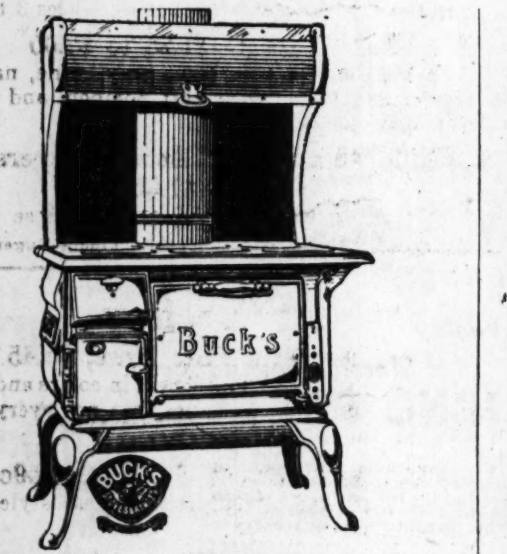
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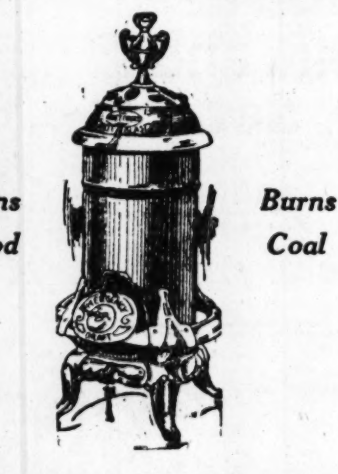
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Means a cosy, warm room even in the coldest weather

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Child's Rocker
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A dandy Xmas present. Made of solid oak in fumed finish. Seat is covered with Imperial Spanish leather. No phone or mail orders accepted.

Smokers' Stands
\$2.45



Give one to the "man of the house" for Xmas. Mahogany finish, equipped with glass ash tray and cigar holder.

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Schaper STORES CO.
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Good sizes.

DRESS FLANNELETTE 29c
36-in.; neat patterns for house dresses and waists; per yard.

Embroidery Art Crash
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Art Crash, yard.

Pattern Tablecloths
Heavy mercerized damask Pattern Cloths, with beautiful circular patterns; each 84c

Crash Toweling
Blue bordered Crash Toweling, part linen; yard 15c

Bleached Outing Flannel 19c
Good quality bleached Outing Flannel; yd.

9:30 Specials

MEN'S TIES	15c
Wide-end Four-in-Hands	8c
MEN'S SOCKS	8c
Assorted	10c
CHILD'S HOSE	10c
Ribbed, all sizes	25c
WOMEN'S GLOVES	25c
Fleece lined	

SPECIAL SALE OF COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES

Coats, \$12.98
Suits, \$19.98
Dresses, Values Up to \$20.

Children's Coats \$3.98
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Heavy, warm Coats of corduroy, finished with flare pockets and belt; lined throughout (Second Floor).

Made of heavy cloth and corduroy; close fitted collar, belt and large pockets; quilted lined; sizes 6 to 14 (Second Floor).

\$8.50 Mattress
Tufted; fancy art ticking; very soft and elastic; will not matt or lump. A big bargain value at \$5.98

\$4 JOINTED DOLLS, \$2.98

85c Linoleum
It has been a long time since you saw Linoleum sold as low as this, for since the war it has advanced up to 75c and 85c a yard. A big purchase of mill's surplus stock gives you this chance to buy at 47c yard; an opportunity, so buy now! Many patterns, light and dark color; heavy D grade; yard.

STOVE MATS
Of linoleum, in all sizes and patterns; very special Monday, 50c

\$1.75 Inlaid LINOLEUM
In the very best grade; will wear a lifetime; pattern through to hickory; many beautiful designs; block, tile and hardwood; extra special for Monday only.

\$1.50 Stair Carpets
Good, strong, durable quality; light of dark colors; price very low for Monday only.

\$31.50 and \$29.50 Axminster Rugs
In regular room size. In view of the existing high prices this bargain value should appeal to you from an economical point of view, for except for a slight mismatch, these Rugs could not be bought for double this price.

Up to \$3.00 MATTING RUGS
Oriental, floral and medallion patterns; 9x12 size; slightly imperfect; Monday, \$1.00

Up to \$14.50 LINOLEUM RUGS
Regular 9x12 sizes; sanitary and economical; light and dark patterns; Monday, \$11.00

WALLPAPER
We must close out two car-loads received too late for this season. The influenza ban closed us for 3 days—more time lost—the price is lower than ever!

Beautiful papers for parlor, hall, bedroom, dining room and kitchen; papers in all shades and the latest designs; values from 6c to \$1.00, at 2c, 4c, 6c, 8c, 10c, 14c, 18c, 22c, 39c

Sold with borders or bands only.

MEN'S OVERALLS, \$1.75 — BASEMENT — \$15 COATS, \$9.95

Boys' \$2 Shoe
Gunmetal, button or lace; sizes 9 to 11 inclusive; very special in our bargain Basement, 98c

Women's \$3 Boot
In gunmetal and patent leather or cravenette tops; lace or button styles; sizes 2 to 7 (Basement), \$1.98

Percales
Just received a shipment of 10,000 yards; light, dark and fancy; full 36 inches wide; a regular quality; mill remnant; yard (Basement), 19c

Robes, Gahardines and Middy Cloth
values up to 75c yard; mill remnant, but good length; per yard (Basement), 19c

Children's
Full 36 inches wide; extra heavy; just the thing for winter dressing; squares and kimonos; per yard (Basement), 37c

Outing Flannel
checked and striped patterns; fair weight for children's nightgowns; per yard (Basement), 20c

Blankets
double bed size, single Blankets in tan and gray; each (Basement), \$1.49

Men's Underwear
Separate garments; heavy ribbed; all sizes; special for Monday (Basement), 98c

Gowns
Ladies' Flannel-ette Gowns; all sizes; special (Basement), \$1.49

LADIES' UNION SUITS
Heavy ribbed; Second; long or short sleeves; special (Basement), \$1.29 and 98c

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Recommends Tonic Under Certain Conditions.

A well-known physician is quoted as saying that "Careless habits, evil habits and ignorant habits result in fatalities whenever an epidemic disease appears in a community."

It should be well known that excesses and indulgences of whatsoever kind bring about a condition of low vitality. To have low vitality is to be partially sick; to remain so, gives free entry to fatal disease germs. It is duty and common sense to remove low vitality.

Do you catch cold too easily? Are you weak, irritable, nervous and worn out before the day is half over? Have you aches and pains of unknown origin? Are you too thin and seemingly "bloodless"? Do you have tremors and unsound fears? Do you lack energy and ambition? Are you despondent without reason? Is your digestion faulty and your appetite fickle? Do you suffer with dreadful pains in the back of head and neck? Do you have shooting pains like neuralgia and rheumatism?

If any or all of these symptoms are yours then a tonic medicine like Cadomene Tablets should bring relief, health and strength if taken regularly with meals. Three grain Cadomene Tablets has often been called the "miracle medicine," because it is so quickly effective in restoring strength, rugged, "happy" vitality.

Sold in sealed tubes by druggists everywhere and each package is guaranteed to please the buyer or money refunded.—ADV.

NEW TREATMENT THAT KNOCKS RHEUMATISM

75c BOX FREE TO ANY SUFFERER

Up in Syracuse, N. Y., a treatment for rheumatism has been found that removes the cause of the disease. It is a wonder, reporting cases that even after years of suffering, a few treatments have cured the very worst cases seen to accomplish cures. It seems to neutralize the uric acid and lime salt deposits in the blood, driving all the poisonous clinging waste from the system. Rheumatism, pain, stiffness, swelling just seem to melt away and vanish.

The treatment first introduced by Mr. Delano is so good that its owner wants everybody that suffers from rheumatism or who has a friend afflicted, to get a free trial package from him to prove just what it will do in every case before a penny is spent. Mr. Delano says: "To prove that the Delano treatment will positively overcome rheumatism, no matter how severe, whether or long standing the case, and even after all other treatments have failed, I will, if you have never previously used the treatment, send you a full size package free if you will just cut out this notice, send it with your name and address with me to help pay postage, and distribution expenses to me personally."

F. H. Delano, 297 West 8th St., Syracuse, N. Y. and I can send only one Free Package to an address.—ADV.

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Those who suffer from this nervous disease, accompanied by its sudden attacks of unconsciousness and convulsions, will be glad to know of a new treatment. We want the most skeptical to try the home treatment for the success of this treatment in the past has proved it to have unusual merit.

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The nastiest species of the cockroach family, and other cockroaches cleaned out with

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blouses, cleaning rooms, pressing

suits and shining shoes for the fund.

Students have pledged \$3800.

SOLDIERS SUGGEST GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS

They Reply to Suggestion by "Stars and Stripes" as to What They Want.

Comparatively few members of the Relatives Auxiliary of the St. Louis National Guards (188th Infantry and 128th Field Artillery) have received the Christmas labels which must be placed on packages sent to men overseas for Christmas. The boys who have received the labels, some are sending knives, chocolate bars and cigarettes.

The auxiliary recently held a tag day, when \$18,244 was raised. This money will be cabled to Paris bank, subject to the order of the commander of the 35th Division, and will be turned over to the St. Louis men.

The Stars and Stripes, official publication of the American Expeditionary Forces, recently asked the men overseas what they wanted in their Christmas boxes.

The Government has ruled that the Christmas packages must be in rectangular cartons, 9x4x3 inches, supplied by the American Red Cross upon presentation of a label from the soldier asking that it be sent. Only one box may be sent to each soldier.

Soldiers Make Suggestions.
Suggestions sent to the Stars and Stripes show that the majority of the men want things to eat, particularly sweet things. One soldier wrote:

"Have that microscopic 9x4x3 rectangular Christmas box filled with something that a beaucoup petite French child would enjoy, and you'll get a piano box full of enjoyment out of it."

Another suggested that the box be divided in two parts, the top layer "to consist of some good American chocolates and the bottom layer to consist of razor blades to fit the army issue razor, a cigarette lighter—nothing expensive—a pencil or two, a few cookies like macaroon snaps or something hard and unbreakable—and a couple of cigarette papers. If there is any room left, they know his fancies," he concludes.

One suggests that the folks at home utilize every one of the 108 cubic inches at their disposal by sending 20 candles, silver wrapped, filling 20 cubic inches; one-half box sweet biscuits, one small can of jam, a box of figs, a quantity of shelled nuts, one supply cotton, needles, shirt, underwear and pants buttons, 12 razor blades, poppable brand; a face cloth, three khaki handkerchiefs, and to use the remaining seven cubic inches for sundries.

Time Was Extended.
The Postoffice and War Department have extended the time during which parcels will be accepted for mailing to Nov. 30. This extension was due to the fact that men in several divisions, which were in combat only recently, have not been able to fill out the parcel labels, without which packages will not be accepted by the postal authorities.

GIFTS FOR FIGHTERS ABROAD

St. Louis Red Cross Is Asked to Provide 10,000 Packages.

The Red Cross has received several thousand Christmas parcels for soldiers overseas, and for officers and men in the navy. They have also received a number of parcels for soldiers with the allied armies in accordance with a recent order permitting such men to get packages in the same manner as the members of the American expeditionary forces, with the exception that the label is not furnished, the sender making a statement that he or she is the nearest relative of the addressee.

Contributions for sending these parcels may be made at all of the stations where soldiers' Christmas parcels are received. The St. Louis chapter has been called upon to furnish 10,000 of these parcels, and contributions in any amount are received. The Red Cross has arranged a uniform package consisting of such articles as the boys will like most. These packages are sent only through the Red Cross, and the public is asked to furnish the money.

His Hearing Restored.
The invisible antiseptic ear drum invented by Mr. A. O. Leonard, which is in reality a miniature megaphone, fitting inside the ear and entirely out of sight, is restoring the hearing of literally hundreds of people in New York city. Mr. Leonard invented this remarkable drug to relieve himself of deafness and head noises, and it does this so successfully that no one could tell that he is a deaf man. A request for information addressed to A. O. Leonard, 70 Fifth Avenue, St. Louis, New York City, will be given a prompt reply.—Advertisement.

CHARITIES LIST TO BE REVISED

The Charities Committee of the Chamber of Commerce will prepare its indorsements Thursday of local charities for the year 1919. In a letter to the charities, the committee points out that donors are becoming more and more careful in giving to solicitors, and unless any charity has received the approval of the committee it will have a difficult time this year to raise funds.

The committee mailed yesterday to each charity a questionnaire. George D. Markham is chairman of the Charities Committee and Scott R. DeKins is secretary.

Collegians Work for War Fund.

Lindenwood College girls are packing leaves for the United War Work campaign. The superintendent of the grounds has been raking the 32 acres of the campus at 20 cents an hour, which they will donate to the war chest. Many students spend their recreation hour, 4 to 5 p. m., in this exercise.

Other students are doing up blouses, cleaning rooms, pressing suits and shining shoes for the fund. Students have pledged \$3800.



250 Suits 200 Coats \$23.85

PRESENTING extraordinary assortments of stylish garments at THE SMALLEST PRICE that Suits and Coats of equal merit have been quoted this season.

WE announce very unusual opportunities for Monday—women who have as yet to select their Fall Suit or Coat will do well to investigate—we feel satisfied that every woman will realize the true nature of this offering on first sight of the merchandise included.

The Suits

POPLINS, Serges Oxfords Burellas Velours and broadcloths. Every Suit perfectly lined and trimmed in velvet, plush or self material. Color selection is complete; sizes for women and misses.

The Coats

KERSEY, velours, Broadcloths, Pom-poms and Zibelines. All clever models, fur, plush and self-trimmed, many full lined, others heavy enough not to require lining; in all, a most complete collection. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

Two Very Interesting Groups of Women's Fall Dresses

Lot No. 1, \$16.75

The collection at \$16.95 embodies 50 dresses of smart tailored effect and dainty frocks. Choice of satins, braided and tucked jerseys, mannish tailored serges and combinations of satin and serge.

Dresses for afternoon, street and evening wear are included in both lots.

Lot No. 2, \$26.75

The group at \$26.75 embodies about 50 dresses of smart tailored effect and dainty frocks. Choice of satins, braided and tucked jerseys, mannish tailored serges and combinations of satin and serge.



An Important Message From "The Silk Store of St. Louis"

in which we detail news of silken fabrics which are most demanded at this season. Pricing of very interesting nature prevails throughout all the groups mentioned, enabling "The Silk Store of Saint Louis" to more than maintain its undenied supremacy.

Satin de Luxe \$1.98

Soft beautiful quality in just the shades that are wanted—midnight or navy blue, sapphire blue, rose, taupe, plum, Burgundy, seal brown and dark green; 36 inches wide.

Crepe de Chines, \$1.48

Flesh, pink or ivory Crepe de Chines; 40 inches wide; much used for waists or underwear. The price for waists is \$1.48.

Plaid Silks, Yd., \$1.29

Louise Plaid Silks, in light colors for waists or dresses; 36 inches wide; splendid quality; Monday, \$1.29.

Yard-Wide Silk Poplins, 85c

Thousands of yards of lustrous Silk Poplins, in navy blue, taupe, seal brown, green, gray and Burgundy. Monday, 85c.

Satin Messalines, \$1.29

Satin Messalines, in light, bright colors for linings, foundations, waists and dresses; 36 inches wide. Monday, yard, \$1.29

Princess Satins, \$1.79

Gorgeous Printed Satins for linings, trimmings, etc., wonderful styles and colors; 32 inches wide.

Yard-Wide Dress Satins, \$1.88

Soft Dress Satins, in navy blue, seal brown, gray, plum, wistaria and dark green.

Yard-Wide Satin Louise, \$2.95

These beautiful heavy lustrous Satins will be found in the wanted shades of midnight and navy blue, taupe, seal brown dark green, old rose and plum.

Yard-Wide Satin Jersey, \$3.88

This is one of Fashion's latest whims—it is shown in the wanted shades of dark navy blue, taupe, beaver, plum, bayleaf green and seal brown.

Black Silks, Attractively Priced

36-In. Black Silk Poplins 85c
36-In. Black Silk Fille Luster \$1.29
36-In. Black Satin Messalines \$1.48
36-In. Black Satin Duchesse \$1.69
36-In. Black Chiffon Taffetas \$1.69
40-In. Black Crepe de Chines \$1.59
40-In. Black Satin Foulards \$1.79
40-In. Black Crepe de Chines \$1.98
36-In. Black Satin Luxor \$1.98
36-In. Black Dress Satins \$2.19
36-In. Black Satin Louise \$2.95
36-In. Black Satin Duchesse \$2.98
40-In. Black Satin Meteors \$3.55
40-In. Black Suiting Satins \$3.89

Satin Messalines Yd., \$1.48

A splendid quality for waists and dresses, comes in navy blue, dark brown, green, gray, wistaria, plum, red and Copenhagen blue.

Silk Marquisesettes, 95c

Come in plain colors or printed all-over effects; 40 in. wide, for waists or overdresses, combined with satins or taffetas.

Fancy Silks, \$1.55

Yard-wide Plaid Satins and Taffetas, in rich colors; good silks for waists and skirts.

Silk Shirtings, Yd., \$1.98

Silk broadcloth, Sans Gene crepe and crepe de chine of heavy quality. Come with colored satin stripes, in a remarkable assortment of styles and colors; 32 inches wide.

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Nugents

Kimonos and Negligees

Warm, wooly ones to slip into on these cold, frosty nights, and lovely, sheer silk ones to wear "en negligee."

Beacon Blanket Robes, \$3.95

In light and dark shades; good assortment of patterns; some are satin trimmed.

Japanese Crepe Kimonos, \$2.50 to \$5.00

A variety of pretty Japanese effects, finished with touches of hand embroidery and sashes.

Crepe de Chine Negligees, \$8.95

Loose or elastic fitted, in dainty pastel tones, also more serviceable shades; hemstitched and pleated. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Kayser's Glove Silk Underwear

Glove Silk Vests, \$2.50 and \$2.75
Plain or embroidered—band or bodice styles; sizes 36 to 42.

Glove Silk Bloomers, \$3.50

Knee length, closed style; all the wanted shades; sizes 5 to 7.

Glove Silk Union Suits, \$4.75

Tubular band; sizes 34 to 42. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Holiday Inspirations in Art Needlework

Embroidered Dresser Sets, \$1.19
Scarf and Pin cushion, assorted styles and colors.

Embroidered Linen Combing Capes \$1.25
Embroidered designs with finished scalloped edges.

Shopping or Knitting Bags, \$1.95
Several attractive designs, clasp tops.

Bag Handles, Pair, 75c

Stirrup and other popular shapes, in colors. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)



Christmas Slippers for Everyone
And they come in every style, shape and color, in

Felt, Wool, Crochet and Leather
Crochet Slippers \$1.25 to \$1.85

In old rose, wine, gray, black and color combinations, with lamb's-wool soles. Sizes 3 to 8.

Felt Slippers, \$1.25 to \$2.00

In blue, old rose, brown, gray, wine, navy, scarlet and black; with soft pom-pom and ribbon binding. Sizes 3 to 8.

Children's Puss-in-Boots Slippers
\$1.25 to \$1.65

Felt or crochet, in blue, red, old rose and black. Sizes 6 to 2. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Gift Hosiery

Women's Fine Silk Hose, \$1.45
Seconds; all full fashioned, in colors and black and white; all sizes, but not every style.

Children's Ribbed Stockings, 59c
Silk Plaited Stockings, seamless style, black. Sizes 6 to 8.

Men's Cashmere Hose, 89c

Seamless style, heather shade, seconds. (Main Floor—Nugents.)

The Housewares Store

Is the Ideal Place to Select Practical Gifts

"Perfection" Oil Heating Stoves; fully guaranteed; \$5.65	Galvanized Washtubs; extra deep shape; \$1.09
Gas Heating Stoves; excellent heaters, at \$2.50	Wash Bottles, No. 8 copper bottoms; stationary wood handles; \$2.65
Fireless Cookers, aluminum lined; two "Ever-Wear" vessels; \$7.40	Mrs. Fott's Nickel-Plated Laundry Irons; 2 to set, complete; \$1.49
Galvanized Coal Buckets, reinforced bottoms; 59c	Washing Machines, easy running; \$6.85
Aluminum Double Roasters; large, self-basting; \$2.95	Cedar Mops with adjustable handles and bottle; 29c
Aluminum Teakettles with cereal cooker; \$2.75	Toilet Paper, good quality; 5 rolls for; 25c
Aluminum Pot Roast Kettles; 6-quart size; \$1.29	Food Choppers; large size, with four cutting knives; \$2.25
Combination Bread and Flour Boxes; roll top in oak, blue and white; \$5.95	High-grade Varnish; Cedar Oil; 38c
Kitchen Cabinets, oak finish, smooth tops; \$7.95	Coffee Percolators; of pure aluminum, family size; \$1.25
Clothes Baskets; well made, strong side handles; 75c	
Clothes Hampers, large size, with hinged covers; \$1.22	

(Downstairs—Nugents.)

The China Shop's Thanksgiving and Gift Suggestions

Fine Thin-Blown Table Glassware	Dinner Sets \$25	Floor Lamps, \$9.50
Grapevine needle edge design, wines, goblets, water, champagne, cocktail—just the thing for the Thanksgiving dinner table—set of 6. \$2.95	We are featuring twenty different patterns to sell at \$25.00 for Monday—the production of America's foremost potteries. Choose from border and spray decorations, plain or fancy shapes with gold treatment. Sets consist of—	Mahogany finished base with 34-in. silk shade in olive green color, complete with cord and plug. \$9.50
Decorated Teacups and Saucers	12 dinner plates, 12 salad plates, 12 bread and butter plates, 12 fruit saucers, 12 soup plates, 12 teacups, 12 tea saucers, 12 pickle dishes.	Electric Floor or Piano Lamps
American semi-porcelain body in various decorative choices at 25c	1 cannerole, 1 covered dish, 1 sugar bowl, 1 creamer, 1 butter dish, 2 platters, 1 open vegetable dish, 1 bowl, 1 sauce boat.	Artistically decorated Japanese base, including fancy shaped silk shade with fringe, 2 pull-chain sockets, cord and plug; choice of many styles. \$25
Hand-Painted China Dresser Sets	Direct importation from Nippon, Japan: plain white body with a good gold band; complete 100-piece service set for 12 people. Only six sets at this price.	Electric Table Lamps
Plain hair receiver and powder boxes; neat patterns; complete with tray. \$2.50	Something new in light	Fancy lacquered base with 1 light, cord and plug. \$7.50
	Fancy butterfly cutting. Tie a colored ribbon bow to these baskets and they make a very much appreciated gift.	Microscopic Table Lamps—Tall mahogany finished base with 2 pull-chain sockets, cord and plug; choice of many styles. \$12.95
	Cut Glass Baskets	
	Handpainted China Cake Sets, consisting of 1 large cake plate and 6 small plates; very dainty pattern, with gold tracers; complete. \$5.00.	
	Don't fail to look over our tables of 25c and \$1.00 cut glass ware.	
	CHOICE 25c	
	Fancy Olive Dishes	
	Complete Biscuits	
	Bonbon Dishes	
	Vase	
	Baskets	
	CHOICE \$1.00	
	Footed Bowls	
	Celery Trays	
	Candiedicks	
	Sugar and Creamers	
	Kaymer's Sets	

MILK AND ICE FUND CLOSED FOR SEASON

Contributions Total \$5159.56,
Largest Amount Ever Raised
in Single Year.

Total of Each Year's Milk and Ice Fund

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
1905....	\$4749	1912....	2976
1906....	4749	1913....	4009
1907....	3413	1914....	4491
1908....	2176	1915....	4767
1909....	3537	1916....	3549
1910....	3636	1917....	5000
1911....	\$4972	1918....	5159

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Previously acknowledged....	\$5155.33
Show, \$509.00, Ohio.....	2.43
Lemonade Stand, 1011 Carr.....	1.30
Lemonade Stand, 4147 Rus- sell.....	.50
Total.....	\$5159.56

The fourteenth season of the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund was closed yesterday. The contributions total \$5159.56, the largest sum ever raised for the fund in a single year. The nearest approach to it was \$5000 in 1917. An unusually large part of this year's fund was raised by the children.

Four late contributions are credited today. The show at \$509.00 Ohio avenue was given by Ruth Kline and Marie Schnell. The lemonade stand

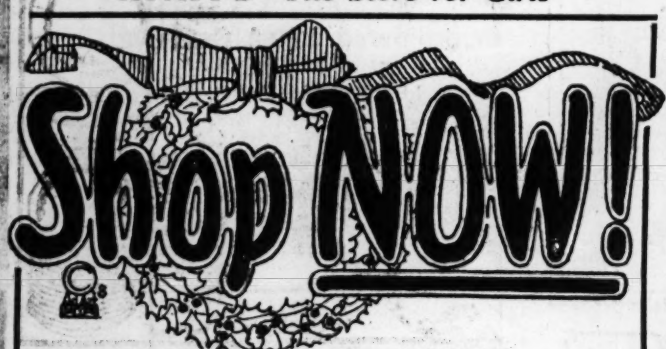
at 1011 Carr avenue was operated by Sadie Eastman of that address and Melven Cytron of 1025 North Sixteenth street. That at 4147 Russell avenue was operated by Gladys and Harry Snyder of that address and Howard Curry of 4135 Russell avenue.

Church Favors Peace Celebration. The Board of Trustees of the Fountain Park Congregational Church at a recent meeting adopted resolutions approving the plan to hold a peace celebration on Thanksgiving day afternoon. It asks that other churches aid in promoting such a demonstration.

Easy to Make Money Trapping This Year

Never in history have trappers and hunters had the opportunity to get such fabulous prices for their raw furs and hides. The manufacturers are simply begging for raw furs and any man or boy who wants to make a lot of extra money, besides having plenty of sport this winter, should get some traps and bait and go after a bunch of this easy money. We'll Bros. & Co., Box 1000, Ft. Wayne, Ind., promise to pay higher prices than any firm in America this year. They are thoroughly reliable, having been established over 50 years (capital \$1,000,000). Ship them any furs you have and you'll be amazed at the size of the check they send you. They can also supply you with traps, bait, etc., and will send you their "Trappers' Guide" and frequent market quotations, free on request. Write them today.—ADVERTISEMENT.

HYATT'S—The Store for Gifts



SO that there will be no congestion of customers in the store—and also so there will be no congestion of the freight, mail and express services just before Christmas.

It's the Government's Request!

Fine STATIONERY and CARDS

Our line of Stationery and Cards is now complete, including fancy boxes of white, cream and tinted Papers and Cards—plain or with initials—Cranes, French Poplin, fancy surfaces, Mourning Papers, etc.—and prices range from

25c to \$15

Boxes Initialed Stationery as low as.....	25c
Gift Boxes fine linen Stationery, with Old English illuminated initial; the box.....	\$1.29
Finest Pound Paper—Kara linen—per pound.....	60c
Envelopes to match, 15c pkg.	

Special for This Week!

Or while the stock lasts—Delit Blue Paper or Cards, with envelopes to match; the box.....

29c

NEW GREETING CARDS

Better make your selections NOW, while stocks are complete. There are Cards for Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's and Birthdays—and jolly little "Remembrance" Cards, especially suitable to send the boys overseas or in camp here.

PRICED, 5c TO 50c

—and for the Soldier Boys!

Here are some useful little things that will fit in their boxes.

Soldiers' Kits.....	\$2.00 to \$15.00
Money Belts.....	75c to \$3.00
Wrist Watches.....	\$1.25 and up
Fountain Pens.....	\$1.00 and up
Safety Razors.....	\$1.00 and up

Shaving Outfits and Materials

Soldier Photo Cases.....	.50c to \$5.00
Kodaks, upward from.....	\$1.00
Compasses.....	75c to \$2.00
Pocket Knives.....	.50c to \$2.50
Cigarette Cases.....	.50c and up

White Ivory Gift Pieces

Nothing makes a daintier gift, and our line is complete right now. The line includes:

Mirrors, Combs and Brushes, Toothbrush Boxes, Necessaire Pieces, Trays, Powder Boxes, Salve Boxes, Hair Receivers, Perfume Bottle Holders, Jewel Boxes, Handkerchief Boxes, Clothes Brushes, Clocks, etc.

Single Pieces are priced.....\$1.00 to \$10.00
Sets are priced.....\$2.50 to \$50.00

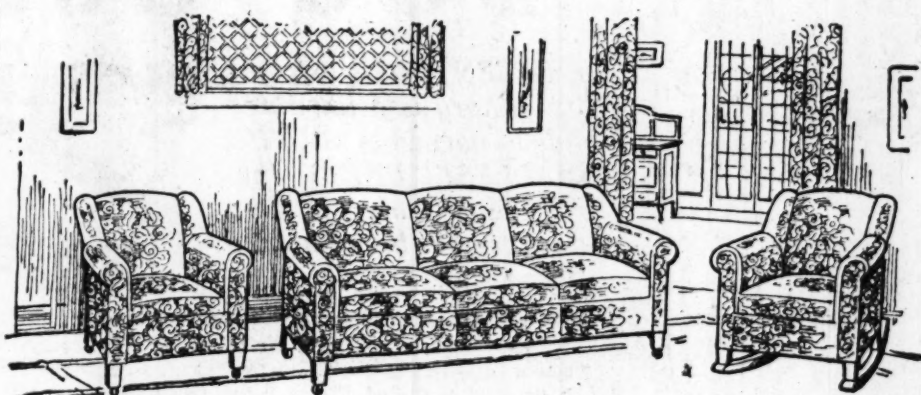
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Player Piano Rolls

The newest productions may be heard in our demonstration rooms on the Sixth Floor.



Living-Room Suite, \$127.00

The appearance and comfort of one's home depends upon the furnishings. Can you imagine anything better fitted for your living-room than this beautiful overstuffed suite consisting of a davenport, arm chair and arm rocker? These handsome pieces of furniture are upholstered in good quality tapestry, or figured velour, in beautiful designs. There are loose cushion seats and the construction bears out in every respect the "Vandervoort Quality."

It is certain that one of these suites would be the greatest acquisition to any living room. The comfort of snuggling into the cozy depths of the davenport or chair would make any member of the family happy. A real Vandervoort value at \$127.00.

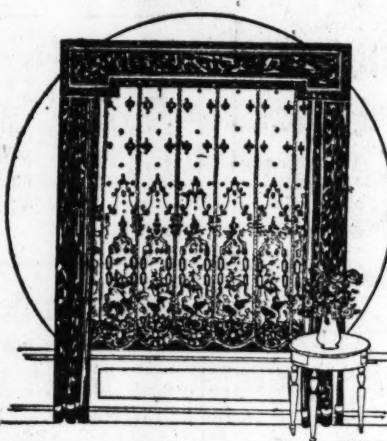
Attractive smaller pieces of furniture—"Vandervoort Values" offer many Christmas suggestions.

Telephone Sets of fumed or golden oak, with swivel telephone holder and wood chair with back.....	\$6.50
Mahogany Sewing Cabinet, fitted with thread, scissors and mending material.....	\$16.75
Tuck Away Tables of mahogany.....	\$9.00
Chiffonade of special design, very roomy, has two wardrobes, mirror, five good size drawers; mahogany, fumed oak or waxed golden oak finishes.....	\$32.50

Solid Walnut Priscilla Sewing Cabinets.....	\$8.75
Brass Tube Dinner Gongs.....	\$2.50
Feather Pillows filled with fine selection of goose feathers, size 27x27 inches, made up in art ticking, the pair.....	\$5.25
Slumber Mattresses, either full size, twin beds or three-quarter size—made in blue art ticking only.....	\$17.50
Mahogany Smoking Stands with glass tray, match and cigar holder.....	\$1.75
Foot Stools of upholstered tapestry in mahogany or oak finish.....	\$3.35

Furniture Shop—Fifth Floor.

Curtains—Draperies—Cedar Chests



We are offering seasonable curtain materials at very interesting prices. This showing embraces serims, voiles, marquisette, Swiss madras, tapestry, cretonne, etc.

Cretonnes in a wide variety of colors and patterns, suitable for draperies, knitting bags, box covers, etc. Per yard.....

49c

Curtain Swiss in dots, patterns and squares. Just the thing for the bedroom curtains that go into the tub so often.....

18c

Extra Quality Cable Marquisette, in white, ivory and ecru.....

29c

Mercerized Marquisette Curtains—2½ yards long; trimmed with Cluny edge in two patterns. White, ivory and ecru. A pair.....

\$1.89

Voile, Marquisette and Flirt Net Curtains, some with motifs and drawnwork, Cluny and lace edge, in various patterns. A pair.....

\$2.35

Verdure Tapestries, in soft, beautiful colors; for upholstery. Splendid quality. Yard.....

\$2.25

Window Shades

1200 Oil Duplex Window Shade 3x7 feet—mounted on good spring roller, in green and white and green and yellow. Each shade is equipped with brackets and cord. (Slightly imperfect). 69c each.

Cedar Chests, \$14.95
Cedar Chests, \$15.95

Cedar Chests of liberal dimensions. These Chests are 45 in. long, 21 in. high and 20 in. wide, and are made of selected hand-rubbed ¾-inch red Tennessee cedar. The chests are equipped with strong locks, casters and hardware, and are plain and copper trimmed. We will hold for later delivery if desired. Upholstery Shop—Fourth Floor.

"Protecto" Radiator Shields

An effective and inexpensive device for protecting the walls and hangings from the dirt. These shields distribute the heat arising from the radiators evenly. As an introductory offer we will sell these shields at.....

\$1.98

(This price does not include the cloth top).

\$14.00 for Your Old Sewing Machine

In Exchange of Any Style (New) Free Sewing Machine

We have secured from the manufacturers concession under which we are permitted to offer you an allowance of \$14.00 for your old sewing machine, regardless of its age, make or condition, in exchange on any style, either drophead, cabinet or electric models of the FREE make.

This Offer Is for a Limited Time ONLY.

Never before have we offered this price for your old machine. If your machine is getting old or is not working right, NOW is the time to turn it in on a new one while we can allow you this exchange privilege. The FREE COMPANY reserves the right to withdraw this offer at any time.



The FREE Sewing Machines all carry a lifetime guarantee by the Free Company and a five year Insurance Policy. Any style finish to match your furniture may be had. Easy terms, weekly or monthly payments. No interest, no extras.

Sewing Machine Shop—Second Floor.

Scruggs—Vandervoort—Barney

Olive and Locust from Ninth to Tenth

A complete selection of Victor Records is found in
The Music Salons
Sixth Floor.

TOYS

Gladden the little people's hearts Christmas day with the toy he or she has wished for since the time to "tell Santa Claus" came.

Character Baby Doll—full jointed, 12 inches high. Sleeping eyes, Tosca wig; ribbon-trimmed chemise.....

\$1.25

Character Dolls with stuffed bodies; composition head, painted eyes; mohair wig and dress of very unusual design and coloring. Slippers and stockings complete this young lady's costume.....

\$2.75

Unbreakable Character Doll with stuffed body; composition head; painted eyes and hair. She wears a flowered dress with slippers, stockings and cap.....

\$1.25

Grumpy Character Doll, with cloth body, painted eyes and hair and head of composition. This scowly little chap is dressed in rompers, cap and socks—in pink or blue.....

\$1.25



Farmyard Tintograph—The lightning color artist paints pictures in natural tints without the slightest effort. It is fascinating and instructive.....

50c

Wiggle Wobble is a wood toy on wheels to be drawn by a string. These toys are white enamel, decorated in bright colors. The little fellow can pull a horse, train, fish, elephant, etc.....

85c

Scenic Castle Blocks—highly colored. When put together these blocks make an attractive fortress.....

25c

Mechanical Baby Automaton Mine Cars—operated the same as cars in coal mines.....

\$1.00

Rolling Coasters, made of wood. Just the thing for indoor playrooms.....

\$3.75

Art Toy Transfer Pictures

—a novel outfit for the little artist, consisting of both crayon and water colors. Transfer pictures are also a part of this interesting set.....

50c

Upright Pianos to delight the tiny girl. Eight keys, mahogany finish.....

50c

Toy Shop—Second Floor.

Linens

Mercerized Bleached Damask Hemmed Cloths, in circular floral patterns—size 64x64 inches. Price.....

\$1.50

Bath Mats of heavy quality Turkish toweling. Size 20x30 inches; blue, pink, gold or green. Price.....

59c

Heavy Hemmed Bath Towels—size 18x34 inches—with colored borders. Each.....

35c

Glassware for Thanksgiving



Beautiful Needle Etched Stemware, as illustrated, of very fine crystal, including goblets, sherbets and saucer champagnes; every one of these are perfect and may be had in dozen or less. Price.....

25c

Glassware Shop—Fourth Fl.

Vandervoort Values in China Dinnerware

Grace the Thanksgiving dinner table with pretty, decorative dishes.

100-piece Dinner Sets of the best Semi-Porcelain, Plain Shape Dishes with a rich gold border scroll design. These attractive sets are priced at.....

\$19.75

Vandervoort Values in Rugs, Carpets and Linoleums

"Vandervoort Values mean that an opportunity to buy high-grade Floor Coverings at savings is being offered.

Beautiful Wilton Rugs which are perfect copies of fine Persian Rugs. The 9x12 size is priced at.....

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8 feet 3 inches by 10 feet 6 inches size Rugs are offered for.....

\$95.00

New Axminster Rugs in all of the new Oriental, Chinese and all over patterns are priced as follows: 9x12 size.....

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8 feet 3 in. by 10 feet 6 in. size.....	\$39.75
6 feet 9 in. by 9 feet size.....	\$24.75

Velvet Hall and Stair Carpet in self tone blue, green and brown, as well as Oriental patterns is priced, the yard.....

\$1.45

Printed Linoleum in tile, hardwood and block patterns; very special, the sq. yd.....

98c

Inlaid Linoleum in hardwood and tile patterns, the square yard.....

\$2.55

A complete stock of Battleship Linoleum in all the various weights is shown.

Carpet and Rug Shop—Fourth Floor.

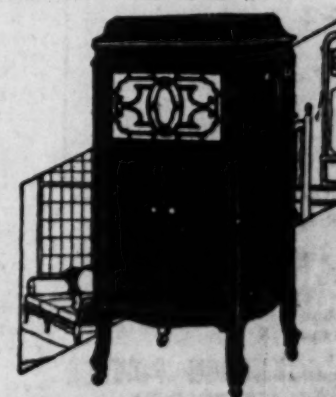
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You must hear the Brunswick—that in itself will be a sufficient test as to its tone reproducing capabilities. You will readily see that the Brunswick has been designed (and not adapted with make shift attachments) to play all makes of records at their best.

The price of the Brunswick is moderate, ranging upwards from \$32.50, and it may be purchased on terms as low as \$15.00 cash and \$7.00 monthly.

The Music Salons—Sixth Floor.



The price of the Brunswick illustrated is \$150.00

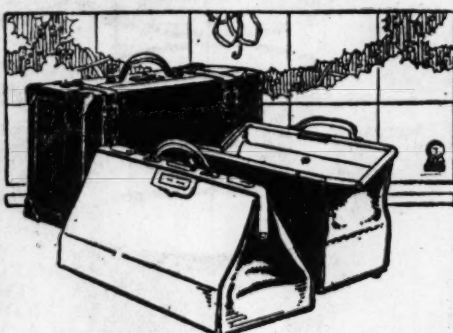
WOULD-BE TOURISTS OF WAR FIELDS SEEKING PASSPORTS

Hundreds of St. Louisans, desiring to explore the battlefields of Europe, have been visiting the office of the Clerk of the United States District Court, since the armistice was signed

last Monday, with applications for passports. Applicants have been advised that up to date the war restrictions on passports have not been rescinded, that Europe is still closed to tourists, and that no one, unless he is connected with some war activity, may obtain a passport.

At MURPHY'S 20% to 33 1/3% Off Sale of Salesmen's Samples BAGS and SUIT CASES 350 IN THIS LOT

All goods are perfect excepting a few scratches. These goods have been used as display samples by our salesmen. Anticipate your Xmas wants. Nothing more useful or more appreciated as a gift than a Bag or a Suit Case.



Here Are a Few—Many More Bargains Like These.

\$1.50 Fiber Suit Cases, special, \$1.00	\$10.00 Suit Cases \$7.50
\$2.00 Fiber Cases, special, \$2.00	\$12.50 Leather Cases \$9.00
\$3.00 Fiber Cases, special, \$3.75	\$15.00 Leather Cases \$10.00
\$4.00 Black Enamel Cases, \$2.00	\$25.00 Leather Cases \$18.00
\$5.00 Fiber Cases, special, \$5.00	\$18.00 Walrus Grain Cases, \$12.50
\$4.00 Black Enamel Cases, \$2.00	\$2.00 Traveling Bags \$1.25
\$1.75 Straw Cases \$1.25	\$3.00 Traveling Bags \$2.00
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\$6.00 Leather Oxford Bags, \$4.50	\$30.00 Gladstone Bags \$24.00
\$9.00 Leather Oxford Bags, \$6.50	\$10.00 Dress Trunks \$7.50
\$12.00 Leather Oxford Bags, \$8.50	\$15.00 Dress Trunks \$10.00
\$15.00 Leather Oxford Bags, \$10.50	\$20.00 Wardrobe Trunks \$22.00
\$20.00 Wadrobe Bags \$22.50	\$55.00 Wardrobe Trunks \$37.50
\$20.00 Walrus Bags \$22.50	\$65.00 Wardrobe Trunks \$45.00
\$12.00 Gladstone Bags \$8.00	\$10.00 Steamer Trunks \$7.50
\$18.00 Gladstone Bags \$12.50	\$15.00 Steamer Trunks \$10.00

Players Open Tuesday Night.
The first production of the Players this season will be held Tuesday night at the Little Theater of the

Artists' Guild, Union and Enright avenues. Three plays, "in character," by Orick Johns, will be presented. They are entitled "Dark," "Light" and "Shadow."

"There is one remedy I always keep in the house, and that is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It helps my digestion wonderfully and as a laxative it is pleasant and dependable."
(From a letter to Dr. Caldwell written by Mr. J. N. Kidd, Bells, Texas.)

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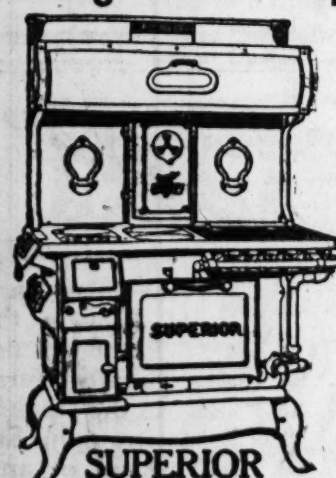
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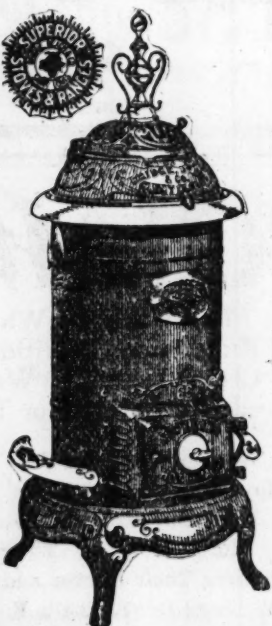


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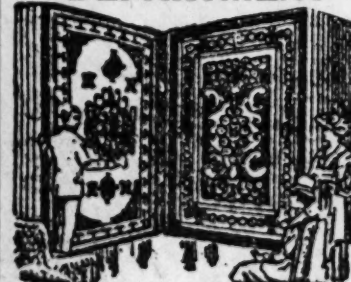
and Combination Coal and Gas Ranges, in Black, Blue and Gray Enamel
At prices that will be sure to meet your approval. We also have the complete line of

Charter Oak Stoves, Ranges and Heaters



\$69.75
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RUG DEPARTMENT



A wonderful display of Rugs on our Third Floor, consisting of Matting, Crex, Brussels, Axminster and Velvets. We feature a special

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\$19.75

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Perfection Oil Heaters

Just the thing for these chilly days. Guaranteed to heat a room comfortably. \$7.50 value, special price,

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Phoenix Furniture Co.

Now at 1226 Olive St.

General Who Led Charge in Dress Parade Uniform Tells of Berzy-le-Sec

Major-General B. B. Buck Believes Americans Saved Paris in This Fight--U. S. Unit Never Lost Ground.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Probably everyone has read about an officer wearing his leather puttees, his Sam Brown belt and other distinguishing insignia of rank, and armed with nothing but a riding crop, leading his men in a charge. That is exactly what Major-General Beaumont B. Buck did—right down to the riding crop, and with white collar and cuffs.

—when he and his Second Brigade of the First American Division captured Berzy-le-Sec on July 21 last. And that is why Gen. Buck, who was a Brigadier at Berzy-le-Sec, was wearing the Distinguished Service Cross of the United States, the Legion of Honor ribbon and the Croix de Guerre with a palm when he arrived in New York from France Thursday on the United States army transport Harrisburg. He was also wearing on his shoulders two silver stars of a Major-General.

On Way to Washington.

Gen. Buck, who was on his way

to Washington, was asked about that historic struggle at Berzy.

The general and his brigade had captured Cantigny, and he had the honor of being the first American General to direct an organized attack against the Germans in the great war, and he had fought at St. Mihiel and had been with the conquering Americans when they smashed the very hinge of the German front—the Kriemhild line, northwest of Verdun—but it was that feat at Berzy that fired the imagination.

"We had been fighting continuously for four days," Gen. Buck said. "Marshal Foch started his counter offensive on July 18. We had made five attacks already. Seventy-five per cent of the commissioned officers of my brigade were casualties, and 50 per cent of the enlisted men were killed or wounded when I received orders that Berzy-le-Sec must be taken at any cost."

Was Up All Night.

"I stayed up all night, personally instructing my officers. At 3:30 a. m. we went in. There were three waves. And we took and held Berzy-le-Sec."

"In what wave were you?" was asked.

"The General was in the first wave, carrying that bamboo riding crop on the dresser there," said Maj. W. H. Woolworth, who was the General's Brigade Adjutant. "And they were mighty thin waves, too. There wasn't much left of the brigade, but they waded right in."

"The brigade was under fire all the time. The Germans—they were the Prussian Guards, the Kaiser's own, the finest shock troops in the German army—could see the outfit, and they were pouring in shell all the time. Two officers were killed by one shell while the General was explaining the plan of attack to them."

"My then brigade Adjutant, Maj. John H. Wills, was killed beside me in that advance," Gen. Buck said. "The shell that killed him knocked me down."

"Did you lead the troops into the town?" was asked. "No," Gen. Buck said. "I stayed on the edge of the town and received what was left of the Prussian Guard. One German officer was mad as thunder. He said that the rest of the famous Prussian Guard had withdrawn when they saw us coming on, and left him with a battalion to take his chances."

Was With First Division.

Gen. Buck went to France with the First American Division. He left New York, June 12, 1917, and arrived in France, June 26. He was in the American sector north of Toul until two days after the German offensive opened, March 21.

Then he was sent to the Cantigny sector, the tip of the great German drive. There he captured and held Cantigny. He remained there until July 1.

"The Americans had the morale on the Boche," he said, "after the early raids in November, when we took prisoners, I heard one of our men in the Cantigny sector, when some prisoners were being taken to the rear, say, 'And is that what we've been afraid of.' And that exclamation meant a lot."

"We never hoped to have 10,000 men a day for a four months land in France. And right there was where we fooled the Kaiser and the Great General Staff. The arrival of the Americans in force at the time they arrived won this war. I was right there at the front for seven months without let-up, and I know. It is a pretty big statement to make, but it is true."

Praises People at Home.

"And too much credit cannot be given the people at home who backed up their fighting men so solidly and to the navies of Great Britain and the United States and the other allies who kept the U-boats in check."

"The real turning point of the war was the counter-offensive of Gen. Foch on July 18. The gradual preparation for this offensive was of tremendous significance. Had the allies not been prepared for an offensive the Germans would have taken Paris in four days. As it was, American troops rushed to the front by forced marches, were able to stop the Germans. There is no doubt in my mind that the Americans saved Paris."

Gen. Buck said that when he left the front three weeks ago he left an army that knew it was victorious. He said that when the hinge of the German lines was broken 16 German divisions had been used up in a vain attempt to obey orders to hold the line at any cost. He said these 16 divisions represented the cream of the German army and the last of its reserves.

Made Fine Showing.

Maj. Woolworth said that during Foch's counter offensive the First Division "went further, took more prisoners, territory and more suns than any other division, American, British or French."

"One important thing to remember," Gen. Buck said, "is that our men went to Europe for the purpose of winning this war. You know, the Germans have been very difficult to stop, and that is true."

"We have lost a lot of men, but that is necessary in war. The morale of our men always was superior, or at least equal, to any men the Germans ever faced."

"And this prominent fact stands out: No American unit ever lost a foot of ground gained. That is, in the warring during a battle, frac-

tions of the line might yield at times, but the Americans always stuck at the end of the battle to the furthest

point they ever reached." The First Division, in which Gen. Buck held his command, was com-

posed of regulars. Gen. Buck said that it was not he who gave the famous order to advance when the

French advised a retreat. He said he thought it was Major-General

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Dr. Lewis Baker, 311 N. 3rd St., St. Louis, Mo. 100.

The Doctor's Advice
by Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature.

These questions were asked by a man who writes: "I am suffering from eczema, and I have been suffering from it for many years. I have tried many remedies, but nothing has helped. I have been told that you are a specialist in this disease. I would like to see you, and I would like to see your medicine. I have been suffering from eczema for many years. I have tried many remedies, but nothing has helped. I have been told that you are a specialist in this disease. I would like to see you, and I would like to see your medicine."

Answer: What you need is a laxative. Eczema is a skin disease, and it is caused by a buildup of toxins in the blood. The following prescription will check your bowels and cleanse the blood. Get a 30-day package of Concentrated Eucalypti Laxative and make one or two doses every day or two of your cold is better. This will reduce you in a very few days.

Traveler writes: "I have been suffering from eczema for many years. I have tried many remedies, but nothing has helped. I have been told that you are a specialist in this disease. I would like to see you, and I would like to see your medicine. I have been suffering from eczema for many years. I have tried many remedies, but nothing has helped. I have been told that you are a specialist in this disease. I would like to see you, and I would like to see your medicine."

Answer: A powerful rejuvenating nerve medicine should be used. The following prescription will check your bowels and cleanse the blood. Get a 30-day package of Concentrated Eucalypti Laxative and make one or two doses every day or two of your cold is better. This will reduce you in a very few days.

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PUBLIC NIGHT SCHOOLS WILL REOPEN TOMORROW

Six High Schools and Nine for Elementary Teaching—Commercial Classes Begin Tuesday.

The public night schools, which were closed because of influenza, will reopen tomorrow evening. There will be six high schools for advanced training and nine schools where elementary subjects will be taught. Students who enrolled early in October are expected to go to the classes where they have been signed. New students may enroll any time during the week.

Classes in commercial subjects will

be taken care of on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights.

Physical training and community singing will be added to the night school curriculum this year. Enrollment may be made tomorrow night. An office training course will also be offered. It will include the duties essential to the proper conduct of an office; also actual practice on modern office appliances such as the adding machine, comptometer, cash register, dictaphone, multigraph, addressograph and others. Mechanical training will be continued.

Pupils who live outside of St. Louis will have to pay \$15 for the term or any part of it.

PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS PLAN TO FORM UNION

Unnamed Committee of Five Calls Organization Meeting for Next Friday at St. Louis University.

Teachers in the public schools, whose recent petition for an increase of 33-1-3 per cent in salaries split the Board of Education into two factions, have called a meeting to be held in the auditorium of St. Louis University next Friday afternoon, to form a union to press the wage question and to act in the interest of teacher members in other matters, it was learned by the Post-Dispatch last night.

The announcement of the meeting, which will be for grammar school teachers exclusively, was made in a telephone message to the Post-Dispatch by a woman who did not give her name. When asked for an outline of the proposed organization's purposes and policies, she declared it was being formed to "look after the interests of teachers."

Arrangements for the meeting, it was learned, are being made by a "committee of five," the composition of which is not known. This committee supervised the circulation among teachers more than a month ago of a petition requesting a salary increase. The petition, which was signed by a majority of the 2300 teachers employed by the Board of Education, was forwarded to the latter body.

Influenza Delayed Action. After the petition was sent in preparations were made to organize an association of teachers to support it. Notice was sent out by the committee of five for all teachers to attend a meeting for this purpose at Central Library on Oct. 11. The enforcement on Oct. 7 of the influenza regulations, however, prevented the holding of the meeting.

It is claimed that a majority of the grammar school teachers favor an organization that will represent them and take an active part in pressing their request for salary increases. The Post-Dispatch was informed that virtually everyone who received the original notice to attend the organization meeting had signed an intention of being there.

Although the identity of the Committee of Five is unknown, even to many of the teachers, the purposes of the organization being promoted by it are familiar to all. The primary reason for organizing, it is admitted, is to better the working conditions of the teachers, especially so far as wages are concerned.

Withers Calls Story Hoax. Superintendent of Instruction John W. Withers was not aware last night that the meeting was to be held. He declared it was a hoax and that the announcement was not made by any one officially representing the teachers. He said that the teachers already had enough organizations such as the St. Louis Society of Pedagogy, the Teachers' Benevolent Association and the Teachers' Mutual Aid Association.

The Board of Education last Tuesday night, by a vote of 6 to 4, rejected Supt. Withers' proposed schedule of increased salaries for the entire teaching corps of the public schools. The schedule was prepared following the filing of the teachers' petition.

The board was divided into factions, headed by Dr. Withers and Frank X. Hilemenz. The latter group voted against Dr. Withers' schedule, which called for the addition of \$539,791 to the annual payroll, and recommended a substitute providing increases for only those teachers now receiving less than \$3150 a year. This would add \$491,791 to the payroll, or \$48,583 less than the amount called for in the other.

Although the wage increase was rejected at that meeting, it was decided to give the matter further consideration at a meeting to be held next Tuesday. Both factions announce they will introduce their respective measures again.

RALPH PAINE TO LECTURE HERE

War Correspondent Will Show Motion Pictures of Fleets at Work in North Sea.

Ralph D. Paine, war correspondent and writer of sea stories, who was assigned by the Secretary of the Navy to visit the allied battleships in the North Sea and the Atlantic, will lecture at the Odson on Friday night, Nov. 30, and the following afternoon, illustrating his text with moving pictures taken during his tour of the fleets.

Some of the scenes illustrated show British monitors at work, mine sweepers at their suicidal task, and net layers spreading traps for U-boats. Extensive extracts from Paine's book, "The Fighting Fleets," were recently reprinted in the Post-Dispatch Sunday Magazine.

Herbert M. Morgan on U. S. Mission. Herbert M. Morgan of this city, formerly secretary of the American Trust Company, who has been serving for a year as manager of the depository section of the Allen Property Custodian in Washington, has been released by the Custodian at the request of the State Department so that he may proceed to Central America as a special representative of that department. Morgan passed through St. Louis yesterday en route to New Orleans.

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Most Women Who Tire Easily, Have Fits of the "Blues" or Look Pale, Haggard and Worn, Need More Iron in Their Blood to Strengthen Their Nerves and Put Color in Their Cheeks, Says Dr. Kenneth K. MacAlpine, Prominent New York Surgeon and Former Adjunct Professor New York Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital.



With the divorce courts showing an ever increasing number of homes broken up often through woman's highly nervous state—with thousands of women leaving their business positions or unable to attend to their household duties because of their weakened run-down conditions, and still others whose constant complaining make life a burden to themselves and to their families, it should be especially interesting to the public generally to read the opinion of such a medical authority as Dr. Kenneth K. MacAlpine, a prominent Surgeon, member of the New York State Medical Society, and for 16 years Adjunct Professor of the School and Hospital, who tells below how by increasing the supply of iron in the blood, women may become stronger, healthier and more successful in the home, social and business life.

Dr. MacAlpine says: "In my opinion practically nine out of every ten women who suffer from 'Nerves' can improve their health, strength, vitality and general appearance by getting more iron in their blood. You can tell the women whose blood is rich in strength-giving iron: they are the beautiful, healthy, rosy-cheeked ones, radiant with life, health and energy—envied and sought after everywhere they go. Yet despite all that has been said and written by physicians about the alarming deficiency in the blood of the average woman, the vast majority of women still thousands who need something to increase their red blood corpuscles, to build up their strength and endurance, and are either careless of their condition or do not know what to take. In my opinion there is nothing better than organic iron—Nuxated Iron—to help make healthy, full-blooded, beautiful women. By enriching the blood and creating its oxygen-carrying power, Nuxated Iron will often transform the flabby, listless, anemic and pallid cheeks of nervous run-down women into a glow of health and make them look years younger within a surprisingly short time.

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A Prominent Physician Practicing Over 40 Years Writes:

Kenton, Tenn., Jan. 29, 1909.

To Whom It May Concern:

As a physician who has practiced medicine for the past forty years, I cannot speak too highly of the skill of Dr. William A. Lewin, in the cure of rupture. I had been crippled with a large scrotal hernia seventeen years, but could not bring myself to submit to an operation, though I suffered greatly from the rupture; my nervous system was broken, I could not sleep; my appetite was poor, and I had become a neurasthenic. Finally, learning of Dr. Lewin's treatment, I investigated same and placed myself under his care, with the result that I am today a well man. I have gained twenty-three pounds in weight, am in fine physical condition, and feel twenty years younger. Personally, I find Dr. Lewin a conscientious and honorable physician. I have examined a number of patients in his office, some of them having been cured many years ago; all were completely cured, and speak most highly of Dr. Lewin. His skill is certainly to be recommended, and I never fail to encourage man, woman or child who is afflicted with hernia to visit his office and obtain his advice. I go without my truss, continue my practice every day where I have lived the past forty years, and feel that I, as well as the world in general, have much to be grateful to Dr. Lewin for in having perfected a nonsurgical and positive cure for such a dire affliction as hernia.

Dr. Taylor, M.D.

DR. DETER & SON
MANUFACTURERS OF
BRUSHES

Dear Dr. Lewin:

Eighteen years ago you cured me of a severe case of rupture. I have been examined by several physicians since, and all pronounced your cure a wonderful success. I have recommended you to several of my friends, and all were more than satisfied. What I and my friends most appreciated in your cure was that, during the time we were under your treatment, we could attend to our business as usual, and were not inconvenienced in any way. Do not hesitate to send anyone to me, for I consider it a privilege to be able to tell anyone how much they can be benefited by you. With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Beyer

Jan. 25, 1917.

Cured 22 Years Ago

ST. LOUIS, August 30, '08.

Dr. Wm. A. Lewin, Star Building:

Dear Doctor—Referring to my rupture, which you cured more than 12 years ago, I have discarded my truss ever since, and am as well and strong as ever in my life. Before you treated me I suffered very much, many times so severely that I had to lie down and try every means for relief. Your treatment cured me completely. I have sent many friends to you during these 12 years, all of whom report themselves cured. I do most heartily recommend your treatment to all who are suffering from rupture, and will gladly give information to people who are interested in knowing my experience, for I am working hard at my business of blacksmith and horseshoer every day, and never have any trouble. Sincerely your friend,

Dr. L. M. Schir

3214 Meramec Street.

Mr. J. E. Walbridge, Formerly With J. S. Merrell Drug Co., Writes:

Kirkwood, Mo., Sept. 16, '18.

..... I feel that great credit is due Dr. W. A. Lewin of the Star Bldg., St. Louis, for completely curing a double hernia, which had become quite critical with me.

Respectfully,

J. E. Walbridge

THE WAR IS OVER! VICTORY IS OURS!

But Our Task Is Not Ended—It Falls to Our Lot to

RECONSTRUCT and to REBUILD

what the Enemy Destroyed. In Order to Carry Out This Duty

PHYSICAL STRENGTH IS A NECESSITY

Our diverse drafts revealed the fact that more than 14 per cent of our male population is suffering from

Rupture

—A condition, curable beyond all question, but neglected largely because of the natural disinclination of people to undergo a surgical operation.

Rupture, which handicaps thousands who are otherwise physically capable, should not be permitted to reduce our splendid national strength.

A SURGICAL OPERATION IS NOT NECESSARY TO CURE RUPTURE

The LEWIN METHOD (non-surgical) as practiced by DR. WM. A. LEWIN during the past twenty-five years in St. Louis, has proved a most efficient cure. It gives no pain, does not interfere with the patient's daily habits, and produces a positive and lasting cure. Why postpone investigating a matter of such importance? Dr. Lewin makes no charge for consultation.

Following are names of a few patients taken at random from amongst the many thousands cured since 1893—all responsible, well-known St. Louis citizens who will gladly attest the fact of their cure of Rupture by Dr. Lewin's Method.

Cured in

1893—G. A. Rubelman, 908 N. 6th St.

1894—Hy. Molitor, 1101 St. Louis Av.

Jas. Hurley, 3711 N. 9th

1895—Chas. Miller, 5141 Patterson

Fred Tagtmeyer, 1009 N. Compton

F. Elstrup, 700 Missouri Av.

1896—Frank McDowell, 4417 Gardfield

J. P. Gemmer, 817 N. 8th St.

1897—Edw. H. Weller, 3940A Westminster

Louis Behr, 3214 Meramec

1898—Harry Haas, 23d and Locust

B. Schmidt, Reinhardt Gro. Co.

1899—F. Bothman, 1986 Arsenal

Leroy Alphonse, 4560 Clayton

B. L. Harris, 2715 Clark

F. Beyer, 1700 Locust

1900—K. Balzer, 1812 S. Broadway

Geo. Reichelt, 1617 Franklin

Edw. L. Powers, 4407 N. 2d St.

1901—R. D. Bolt, Sec. Mermod, Jaccard, King & Co.

Walter Westermeyer, 3622 Arsenal

F. A. Good, 3007 Iowa

1902—Dr. H. W. Clausen, 2810 Meramec

Evans Peck, 5623 Bartmer

Maurice Lewis, 725 Wash

Cured in

1903—Walter Davis, of Daily Record

C. E. Clark, 1601 Washington

Allen W. Clark, Security Building

1904—Dr. I. N. Bass, 3808 Olive

Kamp, O. F., 1303 Warren St.

Kock, F. W., 3601 N. Broadway

Hahn, H., 3d and Market

1905—Wm. Helmich, 212 Washington

Louis Ehrler, Meyer Bros. Drug Co.

1906—W. J. Matthews, 4158 Botanical

Thos. Kelley, 630 S. 7th St.

F. W. Hoffman, Hoffman Produce Co.

1907—B. Laventhal, 2903 N. Newstead

E. Dietrich, 4273 Olive

Wm. Buettler, C. B. & Q. R. R.

F. Reiser, 3235 De Kalb

1908—John Ziegenhein, 2823 Cherokee

Jacob Rosenkrantz, 1011 N. 17th

1909—C. J. Gemeinhardt, 2105 Victor St.

J. C. Mittler, care of Amos, Krieger & James

1910—Victor Welling, 2017 Penn

Jesse B. Keebaugh, Mississippi Valley Trust

Co.

A. A. Goldsmith, May, Stern & Co.

1911—Aug. Pick, 15th and St. Louis Av.

Allen Merrick, 5154 Cabanne

Tony Cavanaugh, 4236 Olive

Cured in

1912—John Lichter, Chemical Bldg.

Peter Bouchaert, 2800 Missouri

W. Y. Burton, 5892 Cabanne

Paul Richter, care of Lewis-Zukoski

John F. Trzecki, 1015 O'Fallon

V. C. Weber, 2201 Ann

1913—Chas. Wunderlich, Wunderlich Cooperage Co.

L. Snodgrass, 618 Pierce

Jno. B. Myler, Simmons Hardware Co.

1914—W. T. Corey, Union Biscuit Co.

Frank Decker, Sr., Superintendent Meyer

Bros. Drug Co.

Alb. Eloch, 1931 Market

Leo Heyman, 1801 Washington

1915—P. T. Bolz, Pres. McBride Cooperage Co.

J. W. Belohradsky, Lemp Brewing Co.

1916—Frank Decker, Jr., Leather Trades Building

Leo Moser, 3725 Lindell

1917—T. J. Keefe, 1018 Pierce

Aug. Werner, 2271 Missouri

I. Greaves, care of E. K. Leiber Leather Co.

1918—C. J. Haberle, 948 Catalpa

Wm. Yancy, 4141 Carter

Peter Grass, 4842 Marfitt

John Hayes, 806 North Fourteenth

Frank Doll, 2702 Missouri Avenue

Jos. P. Kelly, 3657 Cook

J. E. Walbridge, Main and Sappington Ed.

Judge M. S. Waller

Pres.

October 27, 1917.

Dr. W. A. Lewin, St. Louis, Mo.:

My Dear Sir—It is now about two years since you treated me for hernia. I have not written you sooner for the reason that I wanted to be sure I was thoroughly cured of my hernia before saying so.

I have not worn a truss for over a year, and my left groin where the hernia was located is fully as strong as the other side. Besides, my family physician here in Houston, after a careful examination, pronounces the cure as absolute and complete.

It is a source, my dear doctor, of much gratification that I write these things to you for, aside from the physical affliction, my hernia was wrecking my nerves and fast undermining my general health.

If occasion should arise to use me as reference to convert some doubting Thomas that you can cure hernia without the knife, without pain, loss of time or inconvenience, you are at full liberty to do so.

With thanks for many courtesies in the past, I am, with kindest regards and best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

M. S. Waller

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St. Louis, April 3, 1912.

Dr. W. A. Lewin, Star Bldg., St. Louis:

Dear Doctor—It is with the greatest pleasure I can now say that you have completely cured me of a most severe Rupture, from which I had suffered many years. A number of friends and business acquaintances advised that I consult you, and finally when I just had to have treatment, I did so. Must now confess to you that I was a "doubting Thomas," as I didn't believe you could cure me. The results are most satisfactory, however. I have discarded my truss, and most heartily recommend all who are afflicted with Rupture to consult you.

Wishing you unbounded success in the future as you have enjoyed during the past 25 years that you have practiced your noble profession in St. Louis.

Sincerely yours,

John M. Damm

Everybody Knows Capt. Leyhe of the Spread Eagle

Alton, Ill., Oct. 10, 1900.

My Dear Doctor—Many have asked me to what extent I have been benefited by your treatment. In this connection I desire to express my approval in highest terms and say I would not take thousands of dollars for the benefit derived from your treatment, which was painless, did not detain me from my occupation, and was in every way most satisfactory. You are at liberty to use my name and testimonial in any way you see fit. I discarded my truss some time since, and have had no trouble whatever. Yours gratefully,

Wm. Leyhe

St. Louis, March 13, '02.

TO WHOM CONCERNED:

This is to certify that Dr. Lewin cured me of a very painful rupture in less than two months' treatment. I endorse Dr. Lewin and his painless methods of curing rupture to all afflicted.

Dr. H. M. Almond

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TAKE PICTURES TODAY FOR MILE OF SMILES

Photographers Announce Schedule of Where People Should Be to Get in Film.

Nearly 1000 persons living in the neighborhood of Biddle street were photographed yesterday at Columbus Square for the Christmas "Miles of Smiles" films which are to be sent to the military camps here and abroad, where St. Louisans are quartered.

Among the soldiers' relatives photographed yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldberg, 1614 Biddle street, who carried a card bearing the words: "Hello, Sammie. We send you our love." The message on the card was to their son, Samuel Goldberg, who acted as orderly to Col. Howland of the 138th (St. Louis) Infantry in the Argonne Forest fighting.

Several groups of soldiers' relatives were photographed Friday and others will be photographed today. The first photographs to be taken today will be at 9:30 a. m. on the baseball grounds in Fairground Park. Relatives of men in the service whose

homes are in the district north of Olive street and from King's highway to Grand avenue, will assemble there.

At 11 a. m. residents of the district east of Grand avenue and north of Cass avenue will be photographed on the ball grounds in O'Fallon Park. At 2 p. m. photographs will be taken on the south side of Jefferson Memorial, in Forest Park, and at 3 p. m. at Washington University. Members of the Marine Corps League will meet at the

Don't Neglect RHEUMATISM

The First Symptom is a swollen knee, finger joint or sore muscle and often follows Chronic Rheumatic Arthritis, Arthritis Deformans or other forms of rheumatism and may result in permanent crippling deformities.

If you experience any of these symptoms you should at once take Prescription A-2851, A Powerful and Safe Remedy successfully used for 54 years as a constitutional treatment for gout and rheumatism.

Rheumatism can be relieved much more quickly in the early stages than when it becomes chronic. Don't become a helpless cripple. Avoid needless suffering and loss of wages. Take A-2851 before you get worse. All druggists have it. Remember the name—A-2851.

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Memorial and relatives of men in the Twelfth Engineers will be at the university grounds.

The schedule for photographing during the week will be as follows: Wednesday—City hall, south side, 12:30 p. m. Residents of district east of Grand avenue, from Sidney to Market streets.

Thursday—Public Library, Olive street side, 3 p. m. Relatives of negro soldiers.

Friday—Tower Grove Park, Ar-

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FEW INFLUENZA CASES AMONG CHILDREN OF OPEN AIR SCHOOLS

Tuberculosis Society Had Feared That Enforced Vacation of Pupils Would Result Seriously.

The St. Louis Tuberculosis Society, which has been one of the most active agencies in fighting influenza, yesterday reported that only six of the 151 children attending the two open-air schools now under the society's care developed the disease. The closing of the schools from Oct. 9 to Nov. 14 is the only vacation either school has had since its opening, and fears were entertained that the home conditions of some of the pupils would result seriously. The society kept a close watch on the children, providing nourishing food where needed, and extending other assistance where required.

The society also reports that 11 working girls who have recovered from influenza but are not able to go back to their work were admitted

to the night and day camp at 9500 South Broadway during the week. These girls will be given rest and proper care, and guarded against after effects.

\$300 For Soldier Christmas Boxes. The Levis-Zukoski Knitting Unit has contributed to the Red Cross \$300 for the filling of Christmas boxes for soldiers overseas.

Raise for French Soldiers.

By the Associated Press.
PARIS, Nov. 16.—A law published today increases by 10 cents the daily pay of private soldiers and corporals in the French army. Half of the increase is paid to the soldiers and the other half placed to their credit in savings banks.

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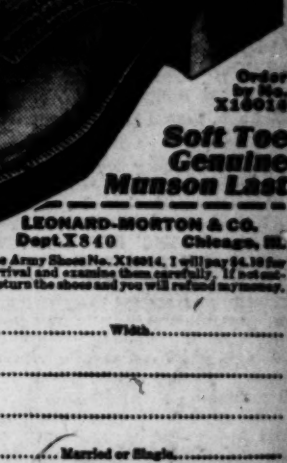
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A Surpassing Collection of Winter Coats

Right on the threshold of the season of snow and ice, St. Louis' headquarters for women's apparel has assembled some wonderfully complete groups of Winter Coats for women and misses. It goes without saying that every style-desire and purse-capacity can be satisfied.

Every Coat is a splendid example of the best work of the country's foremost manufacturers. The styles reflect all of the authoritative ideas and radiate a delightful originality. Four particularly good groups are featured:

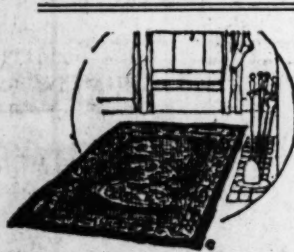
At \$29.75 There are coats fashioned of Kersey, Velour, Broadcloth, Cheviots, Plush and Mixtures, in many new shades; there are pleated back models, Trench models, tailored models; coats with full flare skirts and full back effects, trimmed with plush, fur fabric, fur collars; fancy stitching and velvet buttons.

At \$39.75 Handsome models developed in Kersey, Pompadour, Oxford, Silver-Tip, Broadcloth, Velour and Plush, in many of the favored shades; belted models, yoke back effects; semi-fitted models; Aeroplan and College styles; trimmed with fur fabric, plush buttons, and many with collars and cuffs of fur.

At \$59.75 Are Coats of Velour, Tweed, Crystal Bolivia, Silverstone, Crystal Cloth, Velour de Laine, in shades of Army Blue, Taupe, Brown, Beecroft, Mulberry and Navy; authoritative models trimmed with fur; large collars and pockets; novelty braid and buttons.

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Quality is the main attribute of these Rugs, which number exactly 100. They are closely woven with a deep, heavy pile and are in designs that will harmonize with most any decorative scheme.

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Timely offerings of the many Kitchen Utensils so necessary in preparing the Thanksgiving dinner.

Model Roasters, blue enamel, \$1.58
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Aluminum Cake Griddles, \$2.45
Aluminum Aluminum Roasters, \$5.25
Aluminum Coffeepots, 3-qt., \$2.95
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Carving Sets, stag handles, \$2.95
Waffle Irons, No. 8 size, \$1.45
Household Scales, \$1.94

Skillets, with wood handles, \$1.75
Universal Food Choppers, \$1.44
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Coffeepots, 3-quart Royal Granite-ware, \$8.40
Convex and cover 8-quart Royal Granite-ware, \$1.00



Basement Gallery

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Fifth Floor

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